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SCANDAL IN THE BOND DEAL.

Secrets of the Gold-Ring Conspir-

issued orders intended to prevent investiga-tion. His subordmates even refuse to allow an inspection of the handwriting of the Morgan and Stewart bids. Comptroller Eckels quibbled about the color of the ink on the Morgan bld, but it is a fact that the fractions were written in after Mr. Morgan came to Washington, and the figures show wo shades of black. Mr. Morgan waited unthe last ten minutes before the bidding closed. He was careful to delay his offer for the bonds until after the Stewart bid had been delivered. It may require an investigation by Congress to get at the bottom of the mystery, but the facts are bound to come out.

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It appears that the gold ring actually threatened the President in a telegraphic message. Mr. Cleveland, Mr. Morgan and Mr. Carlisle have concealed the fact, but concealment is no longer possible.

Just before Mr. Morgan came to Washington to arrange for another secret bargain with the Government on the terms of the extraordinary contract of last February, the banker and his friends signed a telegram to Mr. Cleveland, declaring that there was no chance of getting gold in Europe. The message went on to say that the syndicate was in a position to secure gold in this country, but that, unless the contract was closed without delay; even this opportunity would be lost. In other words, the Government of the United States was threatened with bankruptcy.

It was after sending this audacious communication that Mr. Morgan met Secretary Carlisle privately at Secretary Lamond's house, in company with Mr. Cleveland's former law partner, Mr. Stetson. Then he organized the gold ring and "cornered" \$200,000,000 of gold, announcing in his circular that the bargain with the Government was to be "about upon the basis of the contract of Feb. 8, 1895" which was more than \$7,000,000 less than the sum realized by competition after public opinion forced the Administration to abandon its private arrangement with the Wall street dictator.

QUEER BUT NOT INSANE Wealthy Stephen Chase and His Wife

Lived Like Paupers.

Special to The Post-Dispatch Chase and his wife, an elderly and miserly couple, who live in one of the West Side mansions, were subjects of official inquiry as to their sanity Saturday. While the

as to sheir sanity Saturday. While the Chases are taxed for more than \$10,000 they have lived on 10 cents a day. Brown bread and split peas were their diet. Although occupying the big twenty-room mansion they lived in a basement room.

Chase was a blacksmith in his early days, and for twenty-five years he has looked as if he had just come from the forge. He was seen about town almost every day with his basket, gathering cheap morsels of food. The mansion has had its shutters closed for several years, and the place looked as if its occupants were on a long journey abroad.

A frightful condition of things was found when an investigation was made. The place looked like a storehouse. Everything was in heaps and costly carpets were laid away in rolls. In twenty years the couple have not enjoyed a luxury. At night it has been Mrs. Chase's custom to walk the floor with measured steps and dramatically recite Shakspeare. People called the Chases cray, and a relative finally had an inquiry made. Dr. Palmer has decided that the Chases are extremely queer, but not insane.

NEGRO HANGED TO A TREE.

Joe Lewis Quickly Pays the Penalty For His Crime.

pecial to The Post-Dispatch.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 10.—Joe Lewis colored, attempted to criminally assault Mrs. A. D. Prince, the bride of a prominen young farmer at Seddon, Ala., Saturday night. Mrs. Prince struggled with the brute and finally frightened him away by her screams before he accomplished his pur-

pose.

He was caught early yesterday morning, taken before Justice Robison and bound over to the Grand-jury. The officers started with the prisoner to St. Clair County Jail at Asheville.

On their way they were not at duck by a

at Asheville.

On their way they were met at dusk by-a party of masked men. The lynchers overawed the officers, took the prisoner to the woods near-by and hanged him to a limb.

On his breast was affixed a placard reading: "We protect our wives and daughters."

NO CAUSE FOR EXCITEMENT.

James Gleason Fined For Fighting on Finding a Stranger With His Wife.

Richard Curran, a plumber, went to Jas. Gleason's home in the rear of 918 Chestnut street Sunday night and "sat up" with Glea-son's wife. Gleason came into the room and caught the pair. He rushed at them roaring blood. Curran grabbed Gleason by the leg and pitched him out of the house. Then Gleason ran up and down the alley, yell.ng for the police. Officers Finan and Kavanaugh answered his calls, and arrested Currant Gleason then began talking of a duel and the officers took him along to the Four Courts with his adversary. "You should have had Curran arrested without raising a discurrance," and Judge Pea.

MISS BENEDICT AWAKENS.

"I'm Alive; Please Don't Bury Me," Was the First Thing She Suid.

pecial to The Post-Dispatch. LYONS, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Miss Hattle Benelict has at last awakened from her five weeks of cataleptic sleep. Her story is in-

Secrets of the Gold-Ring Conspiracy Coming to the Surface.

TIPS SENT TO THE SYNDICATE

The Fractions in Morgan's Bid Shever That a Change Was made at Washington.

That a Change Was made at Washington.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 10.—In spite of the Government's exertions to cover up the facts in the great bond scandal, the secrets of the conspiracy are slowly emerging into view. It is now known that on Tuesday night tips were wired to bankers in New York, apparently on the strength of information as to prices which leaked out from the Treasury Department. Mr. Carlisle has issued orders intended to prevent investigation. His subordmates even refuse to allow

dict has at last awakened from her five weeks of cataleptic sleep. Her story is indeed a remarkable one. Four months ago this young woman fell into a comatose state which continued almost uninterrupted. In secret weeks, Then a period of five weeks of cataleptic condition. On the twelfs young woman fell into a comatose state which continued almost uninterrupted. In secret weeks, Then a period of five weeks ensued, during which the young lady was in a semi-cataleptic condition. On the twelfth of last month she again lapsed into a semi-comatose state.

She became conscious for the first time last Wednesday afternoon. Saturday morning, Feb. 1, shortly after a galvanic battery had been used on the breast, an entire cessation of the morion of the heart, together with the or of the morion of the heart, together with the or of the morion of the heart, together with the or of the heart of holding a mirror near her lips to ascertain if there was the slightest operation of respiration, and was overyout the summation of the veryout of the experiment of holding a mirror near her lips to ascertain if there was the slightest operation of the heart, together with the ordinary the morning of that day the doctor resorted to the summation and tests falled to detect the slightest operation of the heart, together with the ordinary the morning of the

voice:
"I'm alive. Please don't bury me."
The trance has left Miss Benedict in a very weak condition, and she is scarcely able to speak. The cause of her singular disease is a mystery. A local physician who is familiar with the case thinks it is probable that it is due to a constitutional defect superinduced by ill-health.

POLITICAL GOSSIP.

Prominent Missourians Assemble in St. Louis and Cause Talk.

aclede was alive with Democratic The and as a consequence the air to-day Sunday Sunday, and as a consequence the air to-day is full of rumors of more caucusses and combinations similar to the affair in room 330 of the Planters' Tuesday night of last week. Chief among those who spent the Sabbath at the Laclede were Secretary of State Leseuer, accompanied by his bank examiner. O. D. Austin, of Hannibal; R. P. Giles of Shelbina, and H. Clay Heather of Hannibal. That Capt. Leseuer is a candidate for reelection as Secretary of State is well known, though whether his visit to the city Sunday had anything to do with that is, of course, largely coajectural.

Mr. Heather is being urged to enter the race for Attorney General, but the candidacy of Representative Davidson of Hannihal for Lieutenant Governor may keep him out of the field and cause him to rest content with another term as Prosecuting Attorney of Marion County.

Capt. Giles for a number of years has been considered the legitimate successor of Hon. W. H. Hatch as the Representative of the First District in Congress, and will probably receive the nomination this year without a struggle. of rumors of more caucusses and

TO THE CITY LIMITS

Lindell Cars Now Running on the New Line South of Ferest Park.

The Lindell Railway on Sunday began running cars regularly on its new line south of Forest Park to the city limits. The new line is an extension of the Chouteau avenue With a Bloody Handkerchief. division from the present terminus of that line to the southwestern corner of the park. For the present passengers will be trans-ferred from the Chouteau avenue division

ferred from the Chouteau avenue division to the new line.

As soon as the St. Louis and Kirkwood line to Kirkwood and Meramec Highlands is in operation the Lindell road will run the long cars from the city limits to Fourth street, receiving passengers at the western terminus at the city limits from the St. Louis and Kirkwood line. The latter is expected to be in operation by Sunday next.

TWO BRUTAL FOOTPADS.

James Rupert Resisted and They Broke His Nose.

Two highwaymen held up James Rupert in Two highwaymen held up James Rupert in front of the Six-Mie House on Maple avenue at 8 o'clock Sunday night. Rupert offered resistance and one of the footpads struck him in the face and broke his nose.

Two men then appeared and frightened the footpads away.

Rupert made his way to the Mounted District Police Station and reported the matter. An hour later John Burns and Joseph Byrnes were arrested.

They were identified by Rupert lives about a quarter of a mile northwest of Forest Park.

FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

One Man Killed, Another Fatally Injured and Several Hurt.

was killed, one fatally injured and five others slightly hurt by the explosion of a 110horse power boiler at the Ann and Hope
Cotton Mill at Lonsdale bo-day.
Patrick McCannon, unmarried, a fireman,
was instantly killed.
Hugh McCalern, married, and having two
children, has a fractured stull and will die.
James Finnigan, a fireman, was badly
scalded, but will recover.
The engineer, assistant engineer, another
fireman and a coal carrier, who were in the
building at the time, were also hurt, bub not
seriously. ers slightly hurt by the explosion of a 110-

STRUGGLE FOR CHILDREN.

Herbert Cellins Kicked in the Door His Wife's Home.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.
SEDALIA, Mo., Feb. 10.—Herbert Collins, a well-known horseman now living at Kansas City, made a desperate attempt last night to take his children by force from his wife, who resides in this city, and from whom he is separated. He kicked in her door and ran her out in her night A warrant has been issued for his ar-

MISS BRYAN

The Men of Greencastle Make a Pledge Near Her Tomb.

A SCENE IN THE VAULT.

The Mother Swooned at Sight of the Headless Corpse and the Father Was Nearly Overcome.

Greencastle, Ind., says:
The headless body of Pearl Bryan, who The headless body of Pearl Bryan, who was so brutally murdered either at Cincinnati or near Fort Thomas, Ky., was brought to Greencastle Saturday night and at once deposited in a vault. When the news of its arrival spread over the city hundreds of people went to the cemetery Sunday, and for several hours there was a large crowd around the door of the vault gazing at the casket through the iron grating of the door. In the forenoon Mr. and Mrs. Bryan, father and mother of the murdered girl, and her sisters and brothers visited the cemetery and entered the vault. Mrs. Bryan was so overcome by the sad spectacle of the headless trunk of her daughter that she swooned in the vault and the father was nearly overcome in a similar manner. While the relatives were in the vault there was a meeting of the young and middle-aged men of the city some distance away. It was said later that twenty-five or thirty of these pledged themselves to each other to avenge the girl's death if the murderers were not hanged by the law.

The organization thus formed is said to be regarded simply as the nucleus of the larger one which will take the law into its own hands if Jackson and Walling escape the extreme penalty in the courts.

DID PEARL KILL HERSELF? Miss Hollingsworth of Indianapoli Implicated in the Case.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 10.-Miss Lulu May Hollingsworth of No. 1 Henry street, this city, who was reported to the police yesterday as a valuable witness in the Pearl Bryan case, was subjected to a close inquisition to-day. In reply to questions she said: "I shall be able to clear Jackson. He was responsible for Miss Bryan's condition, but he was not responsible for her death. I don't think that Wood has anything to do with this case.

"I begame interested in the girl because I had once known her and chanced to meet her at the Union Station. She told me what had happened, and said that Jackson was to blame. May Hollingsworth of No. 1 Henry street

had happened, and said that yearson had blame.

"When I told her what drugs to get, she said she would take them in Jackson's presence and die there and then, so as to throw suspicion upon Jackson and get him into difficulty."

"How did you know what drugs to get?"

"A young doctor told me."

"What was his name?"

"I decline to tell."

"Did you ask him because of this case?"

"No. I learned from him at a different time."

time."

The police are trying to get the names of
the druggists from whom Miss Hollingsworth said she and Pearl Bryan secured the
drugs.

MISS BRYAN'S HAT FOUND.

CINCINNATI. O., Feb. 10.-Detectives CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 10.—Detectives found Pearl Bryan's hat yesterday at 6:30 p. m. In it was a bloody handkerchief and a big stone to keep it from being blown away. It was found in an angle between the Fort Thomas Electric Railway and the Chesapeake and Ohto Railroad, near their intersection southeast of Newport, Ky. The finding of the hat weakens the theory that a cab was used to take the murderers and their victim to Fort Thomas. It looks as if they went by the electric railway to Fort Thomas. Jackson's razor, found in Walling's trunk yesterday, was turned over to the police. Medical experts say the girl's head was cut off with some very sharp instrument—a razor or a surgeon's knife. There are stains on the razor.

zor or a surgeon's knife. There are stains on the ragor. Yesterday afternoon both Walling and Jackson repeated their accusations of each other, Jackson was anxious to know the state of public sentiment in regard to them, but would say nothing more than he has already said.

CONGRESSMAN CRAIN.

Death of the Representative of the Eleventh Texas District.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.-Wm. H. Crain Representative from the Eleventh District of Texas, and a member of that body since the Forty-ninth Congress, died at his home here at 4 o'clock this morning.

'Mr. Crain was born at Galveston, November 25, 1848. He graduated at St. Francis Xavier College in New York City on July 1, 1867, and received the degree of A. M. several years afterwards. He studied law in the office of Stockdale & Proctor at Indianola, Tex., and was admitted to practice in February, 1871. He has practiced law since that time. In November, 1872, he was elected as the Democratic candidate for District Attorney of the Twenty-third Judicial District of Texas and was elected a State Senator on the Democratic ticket in February, 1876. He has occupied a seat in the past six Congresses, beginning with the Forty-ninth, and being successively re-elected to the Fiftleth, Fifty-first, Fifty-second, Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth. Representative from the Eleventh District

THE WEATHER. It Will Be Fair Monday Night; Fair and Colder Tuesday.

Weather Bureau forecast: For St. Louis and vicinity: Fair to-night fair and colder Tuesday.

For Missouri: Fair, colder to-night and

For Missouri: Fair, colder to-night and Tuesday.
For Illinois: Snow flurries this afternoon. Fair, colder to-night and Tuesday.
The storm which on Saturday morning was central in Alabama moved northeastward through the Ohio Valley to New England. It was accompanied by general rains and snow. Another "low" moved eastward from the extreme Northwest and is central this morning over Lake Superior the area of depression extending south ward into the Central Mississippl Valley Generally clear weather prevails in the West and South.
The temperatures have risen except in the East and the extreme Vest and Northwest, where they are falling.



Adapted from the New York Herald.

MISS BIRDIE GETS \$25,000.

Settlement of the Sutherland-Majoribanks Breach of Premise.

SHE HAD SUED FOR \$100,000.

But the Case, Which Promised Interesting Developments, Was Compromised Without a Trial.

LONDON, Feb. 10 .- The suit of Birdle utherland, a well-known member of the allet, against the Hon. Dudley Churchill Majoribanks, eldest son of Baron Tweednouth, and a Lieutenant in the Fourth Bat talion of Argyle and Sutherland Highof promise of marriage, which was to have been tried to-day before Judge Russell and a special jury, has been settled out of court. Miss Sutherland, who had previously refused \$15,000 to settle the case, has with-drawn her suit upon the payment of \$25,000.

under the name of Carmen. Sylva, has formed a strong attachment for a tragic actress, Agathe Barsescu, who entered public life early in 1880 in Berlin under l'Arronge. She was born in Roumania, and was at one time engaged to be married to Joseph Kdinz, a celebrated actor. After the engagement was broken off she went to Vienna and Buda-Pesth, where she met with great success.

Queen Elizabeth has been showering gifts upon the actress, and almost all the time is in her company. It is said the King is highly incensed, and that it is not unlikely that unless the Queen behaves with more discretion her banishment may follow. Several years ago, it will be recalled, the Queen's infatuation for one of her court ladies, Helen Varesco, impelled her to seek to force the King's nephew, the heir presumptive, into a marriage with the woman. The result was a separation between the royal couple, and for a while the King seriously contemplated procuring a divorce. In time, however, the breach was healed.

HAS KILLED A MAN.

Officer Danny Ryan's Victim is a Fugitive From Justice.

Denny Ryan of the Central District on January 18, turns out to be a fugitive from justice.

Chief Harrigan has received a letter from S. J. Chambers, Sheriff at Huntington, Tenn., saying there is an indictment there against Bolin for murder in the second degree.

He says the county is too poor to pay for Bolin's requisition and so are the prosecuting witnesses. Some time before Ryan shot Bolin the latter was arrested here by De-

BIRDIE SUTHERLAND.

The case was expected to furnish much interesting testimony. Sir Edward Clarke, Q. C., M. P., formerly Solicitor-General, had been engaged to represent Miss Sutherland and Mr. Henry Asquith, formerly Secretary of State for Home Affairs, had been retained to defend Mr. Majoribanks. It was believed that the case would turn upon the point whether the defendant was of full age when the promise of marriage was alleged to have been made.

Miss Sutherland, nee Watkins, not being of age, such through her father, who was formerly a clerk in the Bank of England. The settlement of the suit out of court disappointed many people. A large crowd had gathered in and about the courtroom where another case was proceeding in anticipation of hearing what was looked upon as likely to be a celebrated theatrical case. But, to their disgust, the case being tried was suddenly interrupted as Miss Sutherland and her lawyer held a short conversation in a low tone with Judge Russell. After which the latter announced that Sutherland vs. Majoribanks had been settled out of court. Judge Russell allowed costs.

CARMEN SYLVA'S CONDUCT.

Her Romantic Friendship for an Actress Makes Much Gossip.

BERLIN, Feb. 18.—The gossips are wag-ing their tongues to the effect that Queen interrogation as Elisabeth of Roumania, who writes poetry the shoeting.

JAPAN MEANS TO OWN HAWAII.

The Yankees of the Orient Have Designs on the Islands.

POLICY OF AGGRESSION.

What Editor Julien D. Hayne Says of the Course of the Government at Henolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 10.-Julier D. Hayne, editor of The Hawaiian, a monthere on the steamship Australia. He take a very pessimistic view of the present Gov-ernment of Hawaii and says the Japanese are becoming so numerous there and so firmly rooted that the islands are in danger

becoming mere outposts of Japan.
"The thirty gentlemen, who, in 1893, stood as godfathers to the infant republic, and who find themselves at the beginning of 1896 the only support of Hawaii's provisonal Government, are most uneasy. 'Provisional Government' because that is all it is as yet. The utter failure of the effort to reconcile the native Hawaiians to disfranchisement, the sudden aggressive action of the Japanese residents, and the independent stand taken by Chinese agriculturists make the situation anything but

"The Government is like a business house threatened with bankruptcy. The crisis may be delayed, but not for long. There is a monthly deficit of \$40,000 and the people are rapidly losing faith in the power of the man at the helm."

Mr. Hayne has not been much impressed by the mercy of President Dole and his as-

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"The newspaper comments in Europe and
the United States show a grave misapprehension of the facts as to the magninimity
of the Government of Hawaii," he observed. "The so-called release and pardon
of political prisoners, for instance. The
truth is that no pardons at all have been
granted. Semething similar to the British
ticket-of-leave system has been brought
into play. All the political prisoners are
at large, having been discharged in four
squads, the first getting out of jail July
6, 1896, and the last Jan. 1, 1896. But the
oligarchy's Attorney-General informed a
prisoner at the time of his release that he
might, without notice or without warrant,
be arrested at the pleasure of the executive. I quote the words as nearly as I
can remember them.
"The case of the ex-Queen is similar. Shabe arrested at the pleasure of the executive. I quote the words as nearly as I can remember them.

"The case of the ex-Queen is similar. She, too, was 'pardoned,' but she is nevertheless as much a prisoner at her home as she was before. The Government has made Wilson her custodian—the man who they claimed was her paramour in the days of her power, and have spared no pains to have circulated throughout the world that, having obtained her full liberty of action, she immediately and voluntarily relapsed into her old-time, shameful practices.

Turning to the Chinese-Japanese question, the editor declared the problem confronting Hawaii to be of the gravest character.

"If things keep on as they are going," he said, "there can be but one ending—absorption of the islands by Japan."

Advices from Honolulu to a local paper say that unless Secretary Oney apologises for the action of Minister Willis that official may be given his passport soon.

The trouble all grew out of an invitation issued by the Hawaiian Foreign Office to the diplomatic corps to participate in the national holiday of Jan. 17, the ambiversary of the overthrow of the monarchy. Willis re-

SIR HENRY IN A CHATTY MOOD.

England's Greatest Actor Is Warm in America's Praise.

HIS LOVE FOR EDWIN BOOTH.

Seme Reminiscences of the Past and Impressions of the Present From the Noted Visitor.

Sir Henry Irving sat in his apartments at the St. Nicholas Monday morning chatting of the stage and his American experiences. He seemed in a mood to talk and there was an unwonted candor in his manner. His whole tone was one of reverence for profession and of deepest affection for people of America.

A remarkable man is Sir Henry in ap-pearance—tall and lank, with broad should-ers that stoop slightly and a massive head that gives one an impression of leonine strength. His hair is straight and long unkind people would call it frowsy-with just a touch of gray in it. The face is a Just a touch of gray in it. The face is a study; thin and cadaverous, with a firm, well-moided chin and a strong nose that is neither Roman nor aquiline, but just between the two. It is a prominent nose with thin, wide nostrils that expand and dilate when he becomes earnest in his conversation. But the eyes are his best feature. They look out from beneath black, shaggy eyebrows and are wonderful in their gray clearness. They fairly dance at times with merriment, but when he referred to Edwin Booth as a man whose life had been a tragedy they grew soft as those of a woman. Irving's dress is peculiar. He wore a gray morning suit of cheviot, the trousers of which were carefully creased. His feet were inclosed in a pair of low-cut patent leather shoes that were decidedly the worse for wear. An old-fashioned high collar, such as Millard Fillmore wore, encircled his neck, and his te may have cost 25 cents. If Sir Henry pald more for it he got the worst of the bargain. It was of black and white soft silk, tied in a loose knot. A pair of bone collar buttons fastened his



MISS DOROTHEA BAIRD.

cuffs. He wore no jewelry, not even a watch chain.
On the mantel of his room were a dozen books and a photograph of Ellen Terry as Portia. The books included a Shakspeare, 'in the Tennessee Mountains,' "The Man in Black" and Mary Cowden Clarke's Concordance.

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Lying on a rug by the fire, which burned cheerfully in the grate was "Fussy," Sir Henry's aged fox-terrier. It was given to Ellen Terry sixteen years ago by Fred Archer, the famous English lockey.

"I never travel without Fussy," said Bir Henry, laying his hand affectionately on the dog's head. "He is the most faithful little creature I ever knew. I lost him offea at Southampton and he turned up at my London house a week later, with a hungry woe-begone look, and his tee nails worn to the quick. He had walked 200 miles on strange roads to regain his home."

strange roads to regain his home."

Then Sir Henry fell to talking to himself.
"Yes," he said, "I am 17 years old, but, bless you, I am feeling as young as I ever did in my life. My health has always been good, especially in America. This air seems to invigorate me and give me new life. I was never robust, but I have always been strong and hearty.
"I trust I have many years of activity before me. The idea of inactivity is repugnant to me. The very thought of lagging superfluous is abhorrent. Why should I think of retiring? If I were to leave the stage I should be compelled to seek employment in some other field. To sit still and twiddle my thumbs would be to me an impossibility.
"And yet I take very little physical exerimpossibility.

"And yet I take very little physical exercise beyond that I find on the stage. I walk a good deal, but in a desultory sort of way. I I ke to wander about the streets and watch the crowds. To mingle among men and study them is one of the delights of my life. I know of no better occupation for one's time.

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"I am greatly interested in the simprovement in St. Louis. The city to have been going ahead by issubounds. When I was here last, twelve ago, if I remember rightly, there is a tall building in the town. Now if dosens and there seems to be an attention to the control of the c

"My new play of 'King Arthur' is as much American as it is English. The legend of Arthur and his round table is a common inheritance of the Anglo-Saxon race.

"But I cannot say that I am greatly pleased with it as a play. It is not to be compared to 'Becket.' There is not the room in it for action that there is in Tennyson's great production. From a literary standpoint it is beauxifully done. There is strength, as well as sweetness in it, but it has not dramatic greatness."

"What is your favorite character?" was asked.

"What is your favorite character?" was asked.
"I have none. To me they are all fascinating. Many people like me best in "The Beils." There is a chance in it for splendid work, as there is in 'The Merchant of Venice.
"And that reminds me of an incident of my last visit to St. Louis. I played in 'The Beils' at the old Grand Opera-house, and after the performance a gentleman strolled up to the bar at the Southern Hotel. As he poured out a drink a friend said to him:
"'Have you been to the theater this evening?"

"He had been to see me in The Bells."

Then Sir Henry wandered to the subject of American actors.

"Yery few people know," he went on talking, briskly, "that Edwin Booth and I played together in Manchester in 1860. I was a young man then, and Booth was in the midnight of his marvelous career. We were together six weeks, and from that association sprang our later intimacy. And what a man Booth was. With a splendid natural genius and the added benefit of the training of that wonderful father of his, he was one of the grandest figures that ever graced the stage. He was the loveliest character I ever saw—sweet as a woman, loyal to his friends and charming in his manners, to a degree that made him irresistible to all with whom he came in contact. My feeling for him was one of love and reverence. I sometimes believe that I shall never look upon his like again.
"But over all his life was the shadow of a great tragedy. You could read it in his face and it tinged all he said and did.
"I alternated with Booth at my own theater on the occasion of his last visit to England and I never saw such enthusiasm. He had all London at his feet. The English theater-goers fairly idolized him. No king could have been greeted with greater demonstrations of popular good will."

While he was talking Sir Henry went to his desk and produced from it a bulky cigar case.

"These are excellent cigars," he said as he lighted one of the produced the said and the said and the later of the said as he lighted one of the produced the said as he lighted one of the produced the said as he lighted one of the produced the said as he lighted one of the produced the produced the said as he lighted one of the produced the produced the said as he lighted one of the produced the produced the produced the said as he lighted one of the produced the produce

case.

"These are excellent cigars," he said as he lighted one after passing them around. "They were made in Louisville Saturday. I have always liked the American cigars and I prefer them fresh. You will observe also that I like a long, big cigar—not black, but rather mild."

rather mild."

As he eyed the cigar critically someone asked Mr. Irving if he never wore glasses.

"No," he replied, "for the reason that I am a little near-sighted and if I were to wear glasses I might see the audience laughing at me when I am making an effort to be serious.

to be serious.

"I have never felt the need of glasses as yet, and I rust I will not for years to come. By avoiding them I persuade myself into the belief that I am still youthful. It is a pleasant little illusion that I like to cultivate."

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Throughout his talk Sir Henry talked without hesitation. At times he almost chattered, and his ideas seemed to flow so rapidly that he found it hard to keep pace with them with his tongue. His manner is that of entire good-nature and these is a marked absence of stiffness or conventionality. He is what might be called a royal good felloy, who can enjoy a good story as well as he can tell one and who has a kindly feeling for the world growing out of excellent health and an unimpaired digestion.

digestion.
Sir Henry has a new daughter in the person of Miss Dorothea Baird, who married his son, H. B. Irving. The latter met Miss Baird while the young woman was touring the provinces. She has recently made a great hit in London as Trilby.

TIRED OF THE FIGHT.

Ernest Schwarting Took Morphine and Lay Down to Endless Dreams.

Ernest Schwarting took morphine and ended his life Sunday because he was tired of life's battle.

He stated this in a letter opened by Cor-

oner Wait Monday, which Schwarting had written to his relatives. Schwarting lived at 2756 Magnolia avenue Saturday night he retired early and nothing was seen or heard of him during the next morning. At 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon Mrs. Katherine Miehle, with whom Schwart-ing boarded, went to his room and called him. Receiving no reply, she entered the room. Schwarting lay cold in death upon his bed. His body was quite cold, indi-

s bed. His body was quite cold, indi-ting that life had been extinct for several urs. Mrs. Mighle notified the police, who cating that hie had been extinct for several hours. Mrs. Miehle notified the police, who inspected the room.

On a table was a bottle which had contained morphine. Two letters, one addressed to Mrs. Miehle and another to George Schwarting, 1896 Chestnut street, Houston, Tex., were found near the bottle. The letter to Mrs. Miehle instructed her what disposition to make of his belongings, and concluded:

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Sluded:
What I have done I had intended to do bewhat I have here." fore I came here."

The other letter was opened by Coroner Wait Monday. It reads as follows:

Wait Monday. It reads as follows:

Dear Brothers and Sister, George, Johann and Annic-1 send you, dear George, through my land-lady, firs. Michle, a small suchel with the following under the same some trinkets. I return you all, my dear brothen and saisters, my most sorrowful thanks for the kindness and sisters, my most sorrowful thanks for the kindness and sisters, my most sorrowful thanks for the kindness and saisters and such as the same that I have had from you.

this life, but ways and the best intentions in this life, but ways and the carry them out. I hope it will be better with you. But of life. I hope it will be better with you. My last thoughts and feelings are with you. The longits of heaven and hell are strange. If I had only life the friend of my thinking. He could cry, cry, cry criftend of my thinking. He could cry, cry, cry the could prove the said them could press the weapon in my hand. How easy would be such a death. Once it was my hope and wish to die for thee, fatherland, but now I have made up my mind to die easy. Good-ly now I have made up my mind to die easy. Good-ly now I have made up my mind to die easy.

Among Schwarting's effects was a revolver with pieces of wood about the barrel. He evidently intended at first to kill himself by putting the barrel of the weapon in his mouth and then pulling the trigger, but he changed this and took morphine. Schwarting was a recluse.

An inquest over the remains was begun Monday morning, and the testimony of Mrs. Miehle was taken. It was then postponed until Monday afternoon. A post-mortem examination was held on the body and a verdict of morphine poisoning was returned.

UHL NOMINATED.

Will Succeed Runyon as Ambassader te Germany.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 .- The Presiden Assistant Secretary of State, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States to Germany.

The nomination of Mr. Uhl was at once confirmed by the Senate.

CLOSING AROUND STUART.

United States Cavalry Will Prevent Fighting on the Neutral Strip.

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 10.-Adjutant General op of Texas Rangers are op of Texas Rangers are der Governor Culberson's ving every faith in their the fight on any part of vernor is resting serenely. ere that two United States Antonio post left there this asse to prevent the fight on utral ground. Governor there will be no fight on a gas them is a man left in your there.



THE PERPETUAL ADORATION OF GROVER. An Ecclesiastical Painting by Fra Giorgione Vesti.

"Mr. President, the Secretary of Agriculture attacks the distribution of seed, but there is one seed which he is now propagating and distributing most industriously through the country. The Senator from Mississippi (Mr. George) was grimly facetious over the name of some of the botanical products which were offered for sale to the department. I take the liberty of saying that this seed has been known by

botanists as the aurifer feniculum canis mortoni, in other words, Morton's golden dog fennel. (Laughter.) Under the shadow of this noxicus plant he reposes by day and almost dreams by night, occasionally seeking additional recreation by swinging his golden censer filled with incense at the Executive Mansion, and shouting "Holy, holy, art thou, oh, Grover, King of Kings and Lord of Lords." (Great laughter.)

—From the Washington Post,

KIRCHNER TAKES ALL THE BLAME,

School Board Architect Says He Drew Up These Specifications.

HE HAD NO INSTRUCTIONS.

Claims He Did Net Know He Was Giving Anybody a Monopoly on the Stone for New Schools.

publication in Sunday's Post-Dispatch of the statement of a prominent contractor aneno the peculiar limitations set upon the material to be used in the construction of eight new school-houses, blds for buil will be opened by the Building Committee of the School Board this afternoon at 4

quired that the bids should specify that Bedford stone from either the Heldmaler, Bedford or Romona quarries would be used for the basements. Also that all stone above the basement windows should be Lake Su-perior stone from Portage Entry quarries Nos. 1 and 2.

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The contractor said further that both varieties of stone of exactly the same qualities
could be secured from other quarries than
those specified. He drew the deduction that
the committee intended to force contractors
to patronize certain quarries. The quarries,
favored, the contractor stated, are owned by
the St. Louis Cut Stone Co. and George
Pickel & Bro.

Confining the choice of quarries to those
specified has resulted, according to the contractor, in an increase of the prices of their
products that will make the work cost at
least \$20,000 more than it should.

August H. Kirchner, the School Board August H. Airchies, the Senot Boste architect, who drew up the plans and specifications, was asked by a Post-Dispatch reporter Monday morning why the specifications limited the kind of stone to be used to that taken from three Indiana quarries.

reporter cations limited the kind of stone to be used to that taken from three Indiana quarries. He said:

"Because I was anxious to get the best stone. Color is another important factor."

"Do you know of your own knowledge that the stone from the quarries specified is better than that from others in the same locality. Isn't the other stone just as blue?"

"I do not know. I never had any experiance with the other stone."

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"Why then did you specify that stone?"
"Because I have used it and know it is good; I don't know that the other is good."
"Did you limit the kind of stone in order that the contract should go to Pickel or the St. Louis Cut Stone Co.?"
"No. I did not know till I read the Sunday Post-Dispatch that they control the output from those quarries."
"Were you instructed by the Building Committee or any member of the hoard to specify what kind of stone should be used?"
"No, sir. I drew up the specifications myself. Of course they had to be submitted to the Building Committee."
"Was any objection raised to placing the board at the mercy of Pickel and the St. Louis Cut Stone Co.?"
"Nothing was said about it."
"Did you realize that under the specifications the cost of these schools would be increased \$20,000?"
"No, and I don't believe it will."
"Don't you know that the prices in the stone specified have been increased—in one case more than doubled?"
"I heard nothing of it till I read it in the Post-Dispatch. I don't believe it."
"Have you or the board any protection against an increase in prices?"
"None; but I don't believe the price will be advanced."
"How about the claim of this contractor that he could do the work \$30,000 cheaper with other stone of just as good quality?"

WILL YOTE THURSDAY.

Agreement in the House on the Disposition of the Bond Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.-In the House

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—In the House to-day debate on the bond bill substitute proceeded until noon, when the legislative day of Saturday expired. Mr. Hainer (Rep.) of Nebraska spoke in favor of non-concurrence in the free coinage substitute, and Messre. McDearmond (Dem.) of Tennessee, Calderhead (Pop.) of Kansas, and Skinner (Pop.) of North Carolina for concurrence. The House immediately reconvened. The blind chaplain referred to Mr. Crain's death in these words:

"We hear with profound sorrow of the death of one member of this House. Our sympathies go out to those who mourn his loss and we pray thee that thou wilt comfort them as thou alone can do. Help us all to be ready when the summons may come to us, in Christ's name. Amen."

Mr. Dingley (Rep.) of Maine endeavored to reach a new arrangement about debate. He asked that to-morrow would be given to the District of Columbia Committee, Wednesday to the continuation of the bond bill debate and that on Thursday the debate proceed under the five-minute rule until 4 o'clock, when the vote should be taken. There was no objection.

Mr. Sayers (Dem.) of Texas then made the formal announcement of the death of his colleague and offered the usual resolutions.

WHEELMEN'S CONVENTION.

Contest Between Teledo and Louisville for the 1896 Meeting.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 10.-Delegates to ing all day, each one as he reached the stood between Toledo and Louisville for the 1896 meeting. The Kentucky delegation threw open their parlors to everyone and claim that they have secured 130 votes and

threw open their parlors to everyone and claim that they have secured 120 votes and the convention.

Toledo has also opened headquarters. They also claim that Louisville is not basing her claims on facts, as all of the Eastern delegation has not arrived and no one can tell how their votes will be cast.

The Good Roads meeting was addressed by Consul Isaac R. Potter of New York, who illugarated his remarks with the aid of stereopticon views. Another meeting in the good roads interest will be hefd this evening. The following are the subjects and the speakers for the banquet to-night: Gov. Lloyd Lowndes, "My Maryland;" Mayor Alcaeus Hooper, "My Cycling Constituency," Gen. Nelson A. Miles, "Cycling in the Army;" Hon. John K. Cowen, "Wheels," Gen. Rolson A. Miles, "Cycling in the Army;" Hon. John K. Cowen, "Wheels," Gen. Felix Agnus, "The Press;" Candidates Willison and Elliott, "League Politics," G. Richmond Parsons of Rhode Island will fell what he knows about roads in his State. Wm. M. Kenney of Allegheny and several Congressmen and Senators will also be called upon to make addresses.

SENSATIONS EXPECTED.

There May Be Unseating of Senators and Disgraceful Scenes.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 10.-A special to the Post from Frankfort, Ky., says: This week is expected to develop a number of sensations in the senatorial contest, and riave you or the board any protection against an increase in prices?

"None; but I don't believe the price will be advanced."

"How about the claim of this contractor that he could do the work \$30,000 cheaper with other stone of just as good quality?"

"If he can do that I for one am in favor of giving the contract to him. I don't believe he can do it."

"If he is ready to submit a bid they may consider him. They would not pay any attention to him unless he is prepared to do something."

"If this contractor is willing to put in a bid will the board reject all bids and wait a couple of weeks to save the city \$20,000?"

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ADDRESSING THE JURY.

Case of Charles Dreher.

Arguments are being made in the case of Charles Dreher, charged with the murder of Central Christian Church, made a sensation Sertha Hunicke. The case was expected to

other."
At 11 c'clock Mr. Bishop began the arguments. He spoke until 11:30. Jealousy, he said, was not a sign of insanity and he declared that Dreher had committed the homicide in a fit of jealous rage.
Attorney Sidener, for the defense, followed. He assailed Supt. Runge of the City Insane Asylum, who had testified for the State.

Attorney James Stanhus followed for the lefense and spoke until 1 o'clock.

LARGE AND JAGGED.

Such is the Prospective Row Between The Revolt Against the Leadership of Diekmanites and Kellyites.

A row of large and jagged dimensions is scheduled between the "outs" and the "ins" constituting the House of Delegates. The Dickmanités claim that the resolution vacating all offices, passed some time ago when the House of Delegates underwent the

when the House of Delegates underwent the throes of reorganization, did not apply to the committees and did not extend beyond officers of the House. Accordingly a meeting of the Committee on Public Improvements was called for Tuesday afternoon and it is expected this movement will be followed by the calling together of several other of the old committees.

The Diekman crowd, it is understood, are acting in this matter under the advice of counsel. Speaker Kelly heard of the movement and appeared at the City Hall hot foot and with fight in his eye at the neon hour Monday, just as Clerk George Martin was closing his desk, intent on rushing out to unch. The Speaker ordered him peremptorily to withhold from all committees whatever papers pertaining to the work of such committees he might have in his possession, and to keep them locked up in his desk until the new committees are appointed.

THE LACLEDE DECISION. U. S. Supreme Court Will Not Hand It Down Till March 2.

cial to The Post-Dispatch. preme Court decision in the case of the State of Missouri ex rel. Laclede Gas Co. of St. Louis vs. M. J. Murphy will not be handed down until March 2.

Beautiful Valentines, Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway, cor. Locust, & to M.

MADE A SENSATION

Argument of Counsel Begun In the Rev. Dr. Tyrrell Offends His Celleagues By an Address.

Rev. Dr. Frank G. Tyrrell, pastor of the

Bertha Hunicke. The case was expected to go to the jury Monday afternoon.

The State closed the case Monday morning with the testimony of Alonzo Merk, brother of Bertha Hunicke.

The defense had no sur-rebuctal testimony to offer. Judge Harvey read his instructions to the jury. This consumed about twenty minutes.

The instructions were for murder in the first degree or acquittal.

Touching on insanity, the courb said:

"If you believe that the defendant was insane at the time of the killing, but has since regained his reason you will acquit him. If you think he was sane at the time of the homicide and is now insane you will convict."

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Dr. Tyrrell's statements were indored by Royleid an instance in favor of Dr. Tyrrell's views, for which he was roundly scored.

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Dr. William Wirt King said he would not dignify Dr. Tyrrell's paper as an anarchistic address. It was almost wholly false and nonsensical. It was highly sensational and he believed it was delivered wholly for effect, and he hoped it would never be repeated before a larger audience than heard it Monday morning.

urday night in reference to the elevation of John C. Sheehan to the leadership.

It has been krown for some time that a storm was brewing in the Wigwam over Sheehan's selection, but no one imagined that it would brezk out at such a lime. The Tigers talked of it yesterday among themselves but to outsiders they pretended that it was merely an incident and did not amount to anything. This, however, is not the case, and it is not likely that the matter will be permitted to drop. When County Clerk Henry D. Puryer was asked about the interruption of Mr. Croker's speech he said that he did not think the little disturbance should be taken as an indication of any great discontent among the leading men of Tammany Hall.

"The truth is that there is a strong feeling among the members of Tammany Hall against Croker retiring from active work in the organization. Some of the members don't want to see anybody else in his place. This has caused some little disastisfaction. But that little interruption did not amount to anything.

Mr. Croker is not really out of the affairs of Tammany Hall, and never will be as long as he is able to take a hand in her fights."

CULLOM'S CANDIDACY. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 10 .- Culle met at the Springfield love feast. Up to that time I had not consented to allow the use of my name. After that meeting, and in view of the general demand of my party associates, I hardly felt at liberty to decline to become a candidate for the Presidency."

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To Bolt the Platt Machine. NEW YORK, Feb. D.—Mr. Whitelaw eid's paper, the Tribune, counsels a re-lt against Platt. It says to-day; These oreatures of fraud do not represent reliable paper. She Prisone, counses well against Platt. It says to-day:

"These creatures of fraud do not represent us, nor any part of us, nor anything in which we believe, any more than the camp followers and plunderers in the wake of a great army represent the cause for which shout men of high principle make great sacrifices and lay down their lives.

"And what do you think about it. Gov. Morton? There are some very large and hopeful eggs of yours in this basket. Are your fortunes tied to, Edward Lauterbach and his fraudulent County Commistee? All these people seem to be yours. Are you theirs, as well?"

This editorial is regarded as an ultimatum to Gov. Morton and it is preliminary to a meeting called for to-hight at which an atsempt will be made to force a bolt and give the Morton boom a setback, if the Governor, does not do some lively hustling in the mean-time.

WASHINGTON, II. C., Feb. 10.—Reed is said to having rough sailing in Texas. It is understood here that N. W. Cuney, the most influential Republican in Texas, perhaps, has decided to support Allison. Nat Q. Henderson has concluded to return to Texas, to heartily participate in the Allison boom. Rosenthal, who contested Miles Crowley's seat, has deggers for Reed, whom he blames for not turning out Miles Crowley and giving him the seat. It is not yet known whom Rosenthal will declare for, but he will probably land in the McKinley camp. These things make it unpleasant for Reed.

Harrison as a Delegate. NEW YORK, Peb. 10.—It is claimed here to-day that Beniamin Harrison may head the Indiana delegation to the St. Louis convention, and it is causing the friends of Gov. Morton and Speaker Reed no little anxiety. Inquiries made by telegraph have elicited the information that Harrison's friends are determined to elect him delegate-al-large to the convention unless he shall call a halt. WARRENSBURG OBJECTS.

Its Voters Will Oppose Sedalia as the

canvass of the business men and property-owners of this city, as well as of all labor-ing classes, it is safe to say that eight out of every ten voters here will be against Se-dalla on the capital removal question.

Off for El Paso.

SA HARRIS

DEATHS

BOLGER.—On Sunday, February 9, at 4:30 a. m., John Bolger, beloved husband of Anastasia Bolger, age 79 years.

Funeral from family residence, 1134 North Twenty-fourth street, Tussday, February 11, at 9 a. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thesee to Calvary Cemeterv.
Chicago and Springfield (Ill.) and Austin (Tex.)

RGER-On Sunday, Feb. 9, Louise Burger, after her daughter, Mrs. Alexander Walker, 1031 South Tenth street, Tuesday, Peb. 11, at 2 p. m., to the Annunciation Church, thence to Calvary Cometery. Please omit flowers. Leaving to mourn her loss

MARY WALKER, KATE PETERSON,

LILY MEAGHER.

BORN.—On Sunday, February 9, at 4 a. m., Catherine T. Osbora (see Kerna), beloved wife of Augustus Osbora, sister of John, James and Neills McMahon. Funeral from residence, 1833 Division street, on Tuesday, at 2 p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Ballefontaine.

aged 54. Funoral from the residence of her mother, 2049 Washington arenne. Tuesday, Feb. 11, at 2 o'clock. Intermebt private. Please omit Sow-

WALSH-Sunday, February 9, at \$3:45 o'clock p. m., Mrs. Anna Walsh, reliet of the late John Walsh, and mother of John, Thomas and Annie Walsh.

Funeral Tuesday, February 11, at 2 o'clock p. m., from family residence, No. 1436 North Thirteenth etreet, to 8t. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thesee to Calvary Connetery. Friends are invited to attend.

FEASTED AND ROBBED.

Burglars Visit a House and Help Them selves to Messy and Refreshments.

BROAD PLATFORM

All Kinds of Money and "A Leetle, More Counterfeit."

THE TENNESSEE BROTHERS.

Alf Talks About the Ex-Governor, Who Chips in With a Characteristic. Observation.

The Taylor brothers of Tennesses and Alf-are domiciled at the Souther and Alf—are domiciled at the Southern Ho-tel, where they are receiving calls from at least half the Tennesseeans in fown. They know everybody in their state and almost everybody that ever was in it, so that

their calling list is quite extensive.

The brothers are in St. Louis to deliver a double-headed lecture with variations. They introduced themselves here earlier in the sca-

e Hoe."
The ex-Governor tends to the fiddling end the programme and devotes himself to e lighter phases of life, as the name of s lecture would indicate, while Alf, the exngressman, will deal with the sterner alties of labor. They will appear Monday ght in Exposition Music Hall.

These two men are among the most unique the South has produced. They have been so much written about that almost everyone knows that they ran against each other for the Governorship of their State, making one of the most famous canvasses in the political history of America. As may be judged from his title, Bob, the Democrat, won, but their personal relations remained just the same.

Many Democrats of Tennessee are now trying to make Bob run again. While he was holding a lot of enthusiastic Tennesseeans at bay his Republican brother told a Post-Dispatch reporter all about it.

"Bob is not a candidate for the place." he said, "but some of the countles are already instructing for him. He has had the honor twice, and thinks he should give way to younger men, who are anxious for it. The other day in Memphis the Democrats got him into a corner and made him say that if he was nominated in spite of his declaration not to be a candidate, that he would make the race. He's rather sorry that he did it, but he doesn't wish to be disloyal to the party which has done so fittien the Clay Evans, and the race will be close.

loyal to the party which has done so much for him.

"The logical candidate against him will be Clay Evans, and the race will be close. Bob is the strongest man in his party, but it would be a dangerous race for him against Evans. I know hundreds of Democrats who would vote for Evans simply because they believe that a great wrong was done him in the last election.

"The great trouble with the Democratic party in our State is that it is split up over silver. An overwhelming majority of the party is for free silver, but some of the leaders are what they call goldbugs. The latter will have no influence in the convention, but in the election it might make a difference. The silver men want the convention called right now and a platform advocating free silver adopted, while the opposition holds that if they do this the national convention will declare for gold and then the candidates will be riding two horses.

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"Bob is a silver man."

The ex-Governor hearing this declaration of his principles from his Republican brother, turned around with a twinkle in his eye.

"Til tell you my platform on the money question," he said. "I'm for gold and silver and greenbacks and nolckels and coppers and a lectic more counterfeit," "A lettle more counterfeit," echoed the reporter.

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The visitors have been making an extended tour of the country and have every. While in Camdon, N. J. and his sed the ex-Governor while he was extolising the two decides the conductor did not stop the counterfeit the Tennesseean, and again he smiled and let a twinkle silp from his eyes.

It was reported then that a man had hissed the ex-Governor while he was extolising the following the following the counterfeit the Tennessee and Kentucky could turn out the worst set of people on earth, but they aging in the gallery Thanks, giving night beat them. There were thirty, seven of them and they were all drunk. They interrupted me for five minutes, but lettle with his first learning the calculation in the first thanks and are stated when the proposition in the first the conductor to stop. As

giving night beat them. There were thirty-seven of them and they were all drunk. They interrupted me for five minutes, but I kept right on. My brother, however, was so annoyed that he quit and closed the performance."

The Taylors will continue their tour, going West from here.

DISPENSED BY THE POPE.

Dr. De Haan Had to Obtain Permission te Marry His Sister-in-Law.

Johnnie George Dead From Injuries Received at a Church Dedication. Johnnie George, 9 years old, died at the home of his parents, 21 South Compton ave-

The boy's death, it is said, was due to an The boy's death, it is said, was due to an injury received several months ago on the occasion of the dedication of the new Grand Avenue United Presbyterian Church. A crowd of boys stood some distance away and made sport of the services. Finally one threw a stone in the crowd. It struck the George boy. The injury was at first thought not to be serious, but he became ill and the physician attributed the aliment to the blow. The little fellow grew worse and a few weeks ago an operation was performed, but without securing the results desired.

Hetzel Got Two Years.

A jury in Judge Edmunds' court Sunday found Henry Hetzel guilty of manslaughter, and fixed his punishment at two years in the penitentiary. On September 4, 1894, Hetzel and John B. Quinn quarreled over Elisa Bowen, a woman from Illnois. A fight ensued and Hetzel shot Quinn. Hetzel was charged with murder, and the jury was out all night considering the case.

Abandoned His Wife and Children. Mrs. Effic Palischeck, living at 1824 South leventh street, secured a warrant Monday orning agtinst her husband, Wm. Palis-hack, for wife abandonment. Three weeks ago he left her and her two tile children. They are in destitute cir-



DR. CYRUS EDSON. (The Physician Who Believes He Has Found a Cure for Consumption.)

THE CONDUCTOR'S ARREST.

Influenced by Religious Prejudices. Richard Maher, the Northern Central onductor, says he was not arrested by Police Sergt. Collins for not stopping his car on the street crossing, but because his

religious convictions do not agree with those entertained by the policeman.

whereupon the officer returned to the car and arrested Maher.

Maher claims he made no resistance when Collins struck him in the face with his fist and called him an extensive name. The abuse was continued till a private watch-man was attracted by Maher's cries and accompanied them to the Fair Grounds sub-

GRACE CHURCH BURNED.

But For the Mud on Goodfellow Ave-nue It Might Flave Been Saved.

NOW PART OF THE RECORD.

Amended Divorce Bill.

Mrs. Carrie Hofmetster's amended petition, to which such stronuous objection was made by Attorneys Delano and Estes for Hofmeister, was formally made a part of the court records Monday morning.

Judge Wood, on ascending the bench, announced that, the bill, as presented Saturday at Attorney E. C. Miles, was a proper pleading and consequently he would admit it notwithstanding the objections of counsel. Late Saturday affectment Mr. Estes submitted a brief in support of his oral argument, but it failed to convince the Judge.

This fight over the admission of the amended bill was an effort to suppress Mrs. Hofmeister's charges of embezalement on the part of her husband. The attorneys for the defence insist that this allegation has no proper place in the pleadings of this case and, having failed to prevent the filing of the bill, will now move to strike out that part of it in order that this incident in Hofmeister's career may not be made the subject of testimony at the trial.

AT WORK IN NEW YORK

Richard Maher Says Sergt. Collins Was Col. Richard Ennis Has Begun Life Anew in Another City.

> since leaving St. Louis, kept his whereabouts rent for the past few days. A call at the nue, where Mrs. Ennis is now stopping,

residence of George T. Dunn, 4318 Blair avenue, where Mrs. Ennis is now stopping, effectually disposed of those rumors Monday.

"There is no secret about Mr. Ennis' whereabouts," said Mr. Dunn. "On the Wednesday following the assignment he left for Philadelphia with the intention of seeking employment there. He left St. Louis, where he has lived for so long, a penniless and broken-hearted man, feeling that he could do better in some other city. From Philadelphia he went to New York, where he has 'connected himself with Traffic, a trade publication. His present address is with that journal, in the World building. He has corresponded regularly with his wife. I received a letter from him yesterday, in which he spoke hopefully of his prospects. Mr. Ennis is 61 years old, but he intends to struggle to rise again. "In this connection I would like to speak of the criticisms that have been made in regard to making Mrs. Ennis a preferred creditor under the deed of trust. That was against Mr. Ennis' wish, but Mrs. Ennis' lawyer insisted upon it.

"This was money that Mrs. Ennis inherited several years ago from her mother. When the firm became financially embarrassed she lent it her money. This money went to pay other creditors and it is not fair that she should suffer. She never had a cent invested in the business."

MUST KEEP QUIET.

Presecutor Johnson is After Sunday Saloens that Foster Brawls.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Johnson is hot after saloonkeepers who keep open on Sunday and foster disturbances in their places. Col. Johnson read in the papers of a free-for-all fight in William E. Vach's sa-loon, 3700 Lasalle street, during which Edloon, 3700 Lasalle street, during which Edward Ross of 3727 Hickory street was assaulted with chairs and pistols by Henry and William Shoemacher.

Monday morning Col. Johnson swore out warrants against Vach and his bartender, Louis Heinecke, for selling liquor on Sunday, and warrants for assault to kill against the Shoemacher brothers. A warrant for assault and battery was also issued against Henry Shoemacher for assaulting William Newman, 3424 Manchester road.

Dr. H. J. De Haan and Miss Lizzie Bergin were married at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon at St. Patrick's Church, East St. Louis, by Very Rev. Dean O'Halloran.

The marriage is noteworthy for the fact that the groom is a widower and his bride is a sister of his deceased wife. Both are members of the Roman Catholic Church, and the rules of that organization forbid marriage between those allied by blood or spiritual affinity. The latter restriction covers the relations between brothers and sisters-in-law and children and their baptismal sponsors.

To obviate the difficult present instance the tedious and difficult expedient of procuring a papal dispensation was necessary.

But love surmounts all obstacles and Dr. De Haan to now of the wealthlest and best known physicians in St. Clair County, His first wife, Miss Nelle Bergin, died found and best known physicians in St. Clair County, His first wife, Miss Nelle Bergin, died found and the mark a statement regarding the interest of the congregation of procuring a papal dispensation was a teacher in the East St. Louis public schools.

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The HEEFFECT OF A BLOW.

Johnnie George Dead From Injuries

Page 18 Might Have Been Saved.

Grace Presbyterian Church, corner Goodfellow and estinge and heat the linguage them had been designed to the fellow and Ridge avenues, was destroyed by fire Sunday attention.

The edifica was delicated but little more than a year ago, and was an imposing stone structure. It cost 4000 and was insured for \$25,000 and was insured for \$2

FIREMAN INJURED.

Judge Wood Admits Mrs. Hefmeister's Pipeman O'Brien Thrown Under the Amended Divorce Bill. Wheels of a Hose Reel.

Joseph O'Brien, a pipeman and assistant driver in Co. No. 6, at Seventh and Olive streets, at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afterno s streets, at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon
was returning from a fire on South Third
street. The horses attached to the ree!
which he was driving were spirited, and in
turning the cornerat Seventh and-Market
streets the wheels caught in the car tracks
and nearly overturned the reel. O'Brien'
fell under the front wheels.
A long gash was cut in his forchead and
he was rendered unconscious. He was consevered to St. John's Hospital.
Dr. A. V. L. Brokaw thinks the skull is
not fractured, but says the injured man's
condition is serious.

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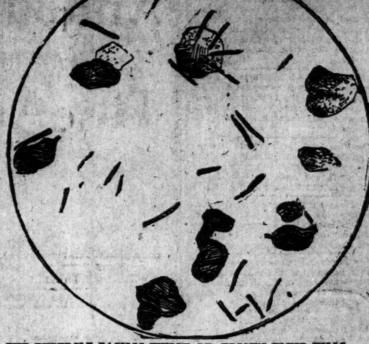
Protestant Orphans' Aid Society.

A meeting of the Nerth St. Louis German Provestant Orphans' Aid Society.

A meeting of the Nerth St. Louis German Provestant Orphans' Aid Society will be solved by the Council appropriating 18,000 for this purpose.

Stolle's Hall, 1307 Biddle street, on vening, Feb. II, at 8 o'clock. All agreestly requested to attend.

See the dainty Valentines at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway, cor. Legust.



THE TUBERCLE BACILLI WHICH DR. EDSON'S FLUID KILLS. Magnified 4,500 Diameters. Photographed From an Illustration for Da Costa's Medica

SECRETIVE MR. DAVIS. The Mayer of Kansas City in St. Louis She Has a Hard Luck Story and a on the Quiet.

It is now the fashion for Missouri statesston at the Planters' Hotel without register-

impression is that he spent most of the day at the feet of Uncle Filley in the Mosque.

Things are not going exactly to suit either Uncle Filley or Mayor Davis. "De Ole Man" doesn't know what the anti-Filley combine in the alleged interest of Mayor Walbridge for Governor is going to amount to and he is studying conditions very carefully. Meantime negotiations for peace between the Mayor and the boss are progressing quietly.

Young Mr. Davis has received a hint of this and it has frightened him worse than all the activity of Maj. Warner and the Silk-stocking coterie in Western Missouri, If Col. Walbridge makes terms with Uncle Filley, as frequently described by the Post-Dispatch recently, Mayor Davis knows the fig is up with him and he will immediately go in search of a willow along the banks of the Hig Blue upon which to hang his harp that has been attuned to twang a Filley rhapsody.

It can be imagined, therefore, how earnestly the Kansas City statesman pleaded with "De Ole Man," while the church bells were chiming all around the Mosque Sunday not to desert him now and take up Mayor Walbridge.

SUING THE TERMINAL.

Taking Depositions on Brainard's Claim for Work on Union Station.

W. W. Gurley and C. J. F. Kraft, attorneys of Chicago, are here taking deposi-tions in the case of Edward R. Brainard of Chicago vs. the Terminal Railroad Co of this city. Mr. Brainard contracted with the railroad company to set the stone work

the railroad company to set the stone work in the new Union Station. This he did, but he claims the railroad owes him \$34,000 on the job.

The Terminal Co. claims it paid all bills through Samuel Chandler, who sub-contracted all of the work. But under the rail-way lien laws of Missouri the Terminal Railroad is still responsible.

The \$34,000 represents the cost of extra work. The parties interested decided to leave the matter to two referees, one appointed by Mr. Brainard and the other by the railroad.

the railroad.

Monday depositions were taken in the office of Arby M. Crane at Third and Pine streets. streets.

Mr. Gurley claims the road is wholly responsible. He said that the laws allow him to hold back 15 per cent of the cost of the work from the chief contractor until satisfied that all claims against them are paid.

BEATEN BY HOODLUMS.

A Salvation Army Lassie Recovering From a Rough Experience.

Ensign Minnie Weber, who has charge of

Ensign Minnie Weber, who has charge of the Salvation Army post at 1417 Franklin avenue, and who conducts the Young Laddles' Training School, is recovering from the brutal beating given her by several young hoodlums a week ago.

Last Monday night they attended a meeting at the post, and at its conclusion lingered in the hall. Miss Weber asked them to retire, but they refused. The janitor had gone, as had the police, who always attend the meetings to prevent disorder.

The young men pushed past Miss Weber and going to the plano began thumping it. Miss Weber remonstrated and one of the thugs struck her a number of vicious blows in the face. Then they turned and ran away. Their names are unknown and no arrests were made.

Miss Weber's eyes are still discolored.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Grand Musical Entertainment by Em erald Cadets at Germania Theater. eraid Cadets at Germania Theater.
The Emeraid Zouaves, Company B, formerly the Wolf Tone Rifles, will give a quesical entertainment Saturday evening.
Feb. 22, at Germania Theater.
Under the skillfull tutorship of Capt.
Thos. F. Finan the boys are now training three nights a week, and expect to be in a position shortly to challenge the world at lightning drill.
The best local talent has been secured for the entertainment on Washington's birthday, including W. H. Porteous, vocal soloist; Prof. Frank Gecks, Jr., violin soloist; Miss Hattle Sternbrecker, vocal soloist; Venetian Mandolin Chub; St. Louis Quartette; Caramaho Female Quartette; Prof. Epätein and others.

LOOK OUT FOR THIS WIDOW.

William A. Yonkers, 3131 Lucas avenue traveling representative of the Walter A Wood Machine Company, reported to Chie

It is now the fashion for Missouri states men, Republican as well as Democratic, to stop at the Planters' Hotel without registering.

Following this fashion the Hon. Webster Davis, Mayor of Kansas City, honored this hostelry Sunday without placing his autors as the planters' Hotel without possible being worked on charitably disposed which the management keeps spread wide open upon the office desk.

"Let me see. Is Mayor Davis' name on the register?" said Assistant Manager Cunningham when a Post-Dispatch reporter Monday morning inquired for the Kaw. Then Mr. Cunningham with mock seriousness closely scanned the register of Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

"No, I can't find his name anywhere there," he declared, and then he announced this rule:

"No gentleman whose name does not appear upon the register stops at the Planters' Hotel. As a planter of the Mayor and the same in on an early train from the West and notwithetanding. Mayor Davis was a guest of the Planters' Sunday. He came in on an early train from the West and notwithetanding. Mayor Davis was a guest of the Planters' Sunday. He came in on an early train from the West and went to the hotel die yet the past of Uncle Filley in the Mosque.

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worthy cause. Also kindly pardon the liberty. Respectfully yours.

MRS. YONKERS,
313 Lucas avenue.
Please examine pension papers. Excuse
paper, being all that Mrs. Rogers had at
hand, and no time to lose.

MRS. YONKERS.
Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Byans are supposed
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FRUIN'S SUCCESSOR

Gev. Stone Says He Will Name Him This Week.

Gov. Stone came down from Jefferson City Sunday evening and is stopping at the Plant-ers'. He will be joined this evening by ers'. He will be joined this evening by Mrs. Stone and they will occupy a box at the Grand Opera-house to-night to witness the opening performance of the Irving engagement. The Governor will return to the capital to-morrow morning.

"You fellows are setting entirely too inquisitive," said Gov. Stone in a facetious vein to a crowd of newspaper men who surrounded him in the Planters' lobby when he came down from breakfast.

"I've got nothing to tell you about anything. I'm not going to hold any caucus in this hotel or any other, but if I should happen to meet a few friends in my room while I'm here and you fellows write me up as being in a political conference, I don't know but I'll hurt some of you."

Then the Governor bought cigars for the crowd and smiled at his own little joke.

Gov. Stone acknowledges that while here he expects to take up the Police Commissionership and will probably announce his selection for the vacancy caused by the resignation of Commissioner Fruin before the week is out. "I really have no idea whom I will select," he said to a Post-Dispatch reporter, "but it is likely that by to-morrow I will have pretty well made up my mind."

mind."

On the subject of the delegation to Chicago the Governor said he had not given it much thought, though he believed the wish of the party was that the Sedalla convention should adopt the unit rule, as that was customary in Missouri.

FAILED TO MAKE A CASE.

Charles Comfort and His Poker Playing Friends Dismissed in Court.

Charles Comfort, politician and capitalist, whose police name is George Summers, was arraigned in the First District Police Court Monday, charged with playing poker. His case was dismissed for want of prosecution. The police would not apear against him. Saturday night Peter O'Connell's resort at 810½ Chestnut street was raided by the police and six poker players, including Comcloy, Chestaut street was raided by the police and six poker players, including Comfort and O'Connell, were bundled into the
patrol wagon and taken to the Four Courts,
O'Connell paid costs in the police court Monday, as did George Heward, a player.
The cases of Albert C. Burton, William C.
Medlich and George L. Brown, the remaining players, were dismissed for want of
prosecution.
Detective Scully, one of the officers who
arrested the players, said that the dismissals
were entered because the evidence was in-

Dave Putty, an Indian Territory outlaw, surrendered to United States marshals in surrendered to Tex, after being wour

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ZATESTERS STREET, STRE

ASSAULTED HER BETRAYER Mamie Armstrong Shows How the New

Woman Will Treat Recreast Lovers.

Mamie Armstrong has the new woman's way of settling a breach of promise case.

Mamie is 18 years old and has been keeping company with John McEiroy, an employe of the Delicatessen, for almost two years. They were to have been married February 3. The date was set three months ago and on the strength of it Mamie showed herself more weak than wise.

Monday came, but McEiroy declined to make his promise good. Then Miss Armstrong told her mother her predicament and they decided to have revenge.

She went to the Four Courts to have him arrested and while there McEiroy himself came in. He told the girl if she would not prosecute him he would marry her at ones. Miss Armstrong thought that was the best thing to do under the circumstances and she and McEiroy left the warrant office to get a license.

On the street McEiroy bade the girl good-

some one and they were heating the wrong man.

Just then they saw John trying to escape unnoticed. They took after him and on O'Fallon street between Seventh and Eighth a lively fight took place. Hugh came to his brother's rescue and just then a policeman arrived and arrested the young men.

Monday morning they were arraigned before Judge Stevenson on a charge of disturbing the peace and he fined the elder man \$10 and his brother \$5.

After the McElroys were fined Miss Armstrong went to the Four Courts and got out a warrant charging John McElroy with betrayal. He is 22 years old.

Friends in Royal Style.

The Electric Circuit of St. Louis held their third annual bauquet at the Union Station Cafe, Saturdey night. Officers installed at the last meeting Thursday night are W. S. Merkle, President; Tyler Sturgeon, Vice President; George Bahret, Secretary; J. S. Clark, Treasurer; G. S. Motgowen, Sergeant; A. R. Pike and Gus Sachs, entertainment committee.

The private banquet room was artistically decorated and an elaborate menu was served.

Toasts of the evening were: Introductory Address—Ex-President Gus Sachs; address home at 4038 Lincoln avenue canal. Englisher, bome at 4038 Lincoln avenue c

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A 99-YEAR LEASE.

The Fagin Building Property Let for a Long Term. for a term of ninety-nine

passed Monday between Ashbel L. Fields and wife and the Burlington Building Company, F. W. Long, President, and A. L. Fields, Secretary, for the property now occupied by the Fagin Building, between Eighth and Ninth streets, on the south side

Eighth and Ninth streets, on the south side of Olive.

The lease calls for the payment of \$13,500 per annum ground rent up to February 1, 1901, and \$15,000 per annum for the remaining ninety-four years.

The property in question fronts eighty-four feet six inches on Olive street, by adepth of eighty-six feet to a private alley four feet wide. The lease stipulates that in case of the removal of the present building a new business structure to cost not least than \$200,000 shall be erected on the sits. Beal Estate Transfers.

Popular Sunday Concere was a large attendar

Grandest Stock of....

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Olive and Sixth Streets.

WITH THE PLAYER-FOLK.

Havlin's Theater did a big Sunday busin with the "Slaves of Gold" as the attract Although this play has been seen here fore it was received Sunday in a most chusiastic manner. The cast is as folio Elmer Grandin, Richard Adams; Thou McGrath, Edward Palmer; Frank B E. F. Moreland; Wm. C. Arnold, Er Everett; Wm. Vestal, Lottle Lester; I Vrohman, Mary Burroughs; Frederick Kensill, Margaret Moore, and Baby Bernstein Margaret Moore, and Margar

ABOUT TOWN. DER SCHILLER VEREIN.—Nembers of Schiller Verein met Sunday at Sixth and Ches treets and adopted a constitution. It prov or the atudy of German classic literature islly that of Schiller. The

damaged to the shadow thrown.

MOTHER AND SON DESTITUTE.—Agnes Glowsweakl, 66 years old, and her son John, 45 years
of age, are in destitute circumstances at their
home in the rear of 1550 South Third street. She
is a cripple and her son is almost blind. They
have lived in the city for twenty-six years.

Court Notes.

The St. Louis Poultry & Game Co. was incorporated Monday with a capital stock of \$3,000, full paid. Nat Wetzell, L. R. Wilfley, W. K. Kavanaugh and R. C. Brent are the shareholders.

The Mississippi Valley Trust Co., administrator of the estate of August Brueggeman, has sued Emilie Pinkert on notes aggregating over \$1,500; and also to foreclose a deed of trust on certain property to satisfy the debt.

The Taylor Brothers at Music Hall.

Governor Bob and Hon. Alf Taylor, the distinguished Tennesseeans, who have become the greatest platform entertainers of the day, will give their newest and most mirtiful production entitled "The Shoves and the Hoe, the Fiddle and the Bow," at Music Hall, this morning. They will be assisted by a quartette. Governor Bob will tell funny stories and sing songs and alf will give one of his inimitable speeches. The Post-Dispatch has received 55 the W. C. Linday Banking Co. for firemen's widows and orphans fund; a 4t from "A Friend" for the mother of Ca Stanton.

If you want a sure relief for pains in the back, side, chest or imbs, use an ... Allcocks

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Entitled to the Fullest Confidence.

From a letter to Chas. H. Jones, Edito

It is the opinion of your Committee, after as careful and thorough an examination as has ever been given to any newspaper, that the Post-Dispatch is entitled to the fullest confidence of the community, and so far as we can learn, no misstatement or over statements have been made in regard to circulation or advertising patrenage, and that the entire manner in which the business end of the paper is conducted is highly creditable to yourself and your associates.

LON V. STEPHENS, State Treasurer of Missouri

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

GRAND-Henry Irving and Miss Terry. HAVLIN'S-Slaves of Gold. STANDARD-Irwin Bros.' Specialty Co. MATINEES TO-MORROW.

HAVLIN'S-Slaves of Gold. STANDARD-Irwin Bros.' Specialty Co.

A DANGEROUS BILL.

It is evident that the Uthoff bill for the uniform taxation of street railways is not in the proper form to be made a law It is not at all certain that the bill is favorable to the city and that it does not grant privileges to the companie which are inimical to the public welfare. Some of its provisions are ambiguou and may give rise to troubles and abuses The fairness of the percentage of taxs tion is open to question. The fact that a number of street rallway managers favor the measure and the avowed friend-liness of its author, to street railways afford ground for suspicion that the bill is dangerous.

The Post-Dispatch adheres to the opin ion that the right way to prepare a measure of this kind is to have a thorough investigation of the subject by a compe tent commission. The Municipal Assem bly should ascertain the extent of its powers to legislate with regard to the street railway companies and the facts with regard to the capitalization, cost and earnings of the roads. On the basis of this information a bill should be carefully drawn up which will provide a fair rental and will contain no ambiguities for future complications

The subject is one of great importance requiring careful thought and accurate knowledge. The Uthoff bill has served up for consideration and discussion. But it is too ambiguous and has been prepared too hastily to be adopted in its present form.

AID FOR STATE UNIVERSITIES.

The Missouri delegation should give united and vigorous support to the bill now pending in both houses of Congress to give the Missouri University 24,590 acres of land to reimburse it for loss caused by the action of the Federal Government. The equity of the measure is not questioned and it has received the indorsement of the officials of the Land Office. It embodies an act of justice to rsity which will be most bene ficial to its interests.

Two other measures are pending in Congress bearing on the educational in terests of all the States and directly affecting the Missouri University. One is a bill providing for an equitable adjustment of grants of land to the several States of the Union for universities. The bill was drafted by the National Association of State Universities and is a fair measure of relief and aid to State institutions of learning. It reduces the enormous public land holdings by only most beneficial to the institutions.

ill give 500,000 acres to the Missouri iversity.

he other bill provides for the encour ment of the study of mechanic arts i naval princering in the technolog-the country, It is pri-

as compared with 53 columns in the copresponding Sunday issue of last year and 60 columns in 1893. During last week 222 columns of paid advertising were printed, as compared with 198 columns during the corresponding week of last year.

COL. MORRISON'S VIEWS.

Judging from the comments is the country newspapers, which are a vertrustworthy index of political felling Col. Morrison's Presidential boom with the control of the comments of the country of the comments of the country of the comments of the country of the cou receive no impetus from Missouri Dem crats unless he defines his position clear and unequivocally on the money que tion. In fact, it may be said with trut that the attitude of Missouri Democrate towards Col. Morrison at this time might be graphically represented by an interrogation point.

From far Oregon comes the suggestion that although Col. Morrison is nest-hiding now, he has in the recent past clearly stated his views. In a dispatch from Waterloo, Ill., under date of April 23, 1895. Col. Morrison is quoted as saying "It is not the legal tender quality which makes our silver dollars more valuable than the silver in them. It is because em, they are interchangeable with gold through the Treasury. • • In pros perous times we could safely use a large mount of silver, always providing its convertibility into money which does not get its value by law."

Commenting upon this, our correspond ent says; "There you have Bill Morrison's fetichism. He is a Western man with Eastern principles."

PLUTOCRATIC LOGIC.

A high Wall Street authority on finance is quoted as saying that the success of the bond sale demonstrates the absolute confidence of the people who have money that the gold standard will be

This conclusion is arrived at by the same process of reasoning that has convinced the Wall Street authorities and their organs that the rallying of the the daily jam. people to the support of bimetallish has demonstrated that the "silver craze"

The fact that Congress refused to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue gold bonds and the fact that bids to the enormous amount of over bonds payable in either gold or silver constitute solid proof to the minds of gold monometallists that the people believe the gold standard to be firmly estab lished in this country and that the Gov ernment will pay these bonds in gold bidding.

This is logic as she is known in Wall

A BELATED PENITENT.

In reply to a question from an inquire of Harrodsburg, Ky., the Republic makes the following remarkable statement:
Of course, it is literally, legally and scien tifically true that "in a genuine bimetallic coinage each metal is a legal standard, and the debtor chooses the coin of payment." Any other system is monometallism. There has been no genuine bimetallism in the United States since 1873.

The statement is remarkable because it is the truth and appears in the Republic This is the first instance since the Cleveof the money question by its betrayal of has ventured to tell the truth in accordance with the Democratic faith as defended by the Post-Dispatch and the sound Democracy of the country.

We do not emphasize this utterance of business the Republic because we think it will \$1,400,000. have any effect on the Democrats of Missouri, for they have long since give over the poor old sheet to its Wall Street idols; but it shows the progress of the work and that the seeds of truth are taking root even in stony places. It shows that the organ of Wall Street has not only been convicted of sin, but is bringing forth fruits meet for repent-

It is a pity the poor old Republic did not have the courage, in the beginning of the struggle, to come out for the faith humbly confesses. If it had done so it would not now be shivering in esolation on the brink of bankruptcy.

without the permission of any other nation. We have waited for other nations in the matter of our currency, with ulnous consequences. The great Republic is big enough and old enough to go lone on righteous missions.

The proof of the great bona fide circulation of the Post-Dispatch does not come from its owners or employes. A committee selected from among the best business men of the State, after a thor ough investigation, testifies to the truth of the Post-Dispatch's large circulation From the Joplin (Me.) Herald. figures.

When Emperor Billy is a little better acquainted with Ambassador Uhl, no doubt he will communicate to this wel-come official all the particulars of that little difference with grandma which seemed likely but a few days ago to

It was the Louisville influence that tucky and it is the Louisville influence that is now preventing the election of Blackburn to the Senate. The metropo lis, controlled by the money power, i arrayed against the State.

The Legislature of Kentucky is rep resented as very weary of the pro senatorial contest. It is a pity that all the Legislatures do not become suffition of Senators shall be transferred to

the people. The scheme to make New York harbor a Guy way may have been suggested it is easy

now that the country needs fortifica-ons, and it is easy to know that the radicate wants bonds.

Mayor Walbridge need not be dis-couraged because of opposition from the newspapers of his party. He should re-member the triumph of a Chicago Mayor against whom every newspaper in the city was arrayed.

Cullom is still a human being and will take second place if he cannot get first. It would be a little incongruous, however, to reduce to the Vice-Presidency a man who looks so much like Abraham Lincoln,

finds that gold appreciation has resulted disastrously to British agricultural in-terests. It can have no different re-sult, in Great Britain or anywhere else.

Reed may have to content himself with the glories of a Czar. While this position is much less to be honored than the Presidency of a republic, it is a good thing when it is all that a man can get.

New York rakes in nearly all the bonds Boston getting but a few millions and Philadelphia very little. It is no difficult matter to discover where the money power in this country lies.

company 18 cents a ton more on coal than it asks of another must expect a little heat on the part of those it has wronged. Campos naturally thinks he did all

that ought to be required of a Spanish soldier when he put Cuban leaders to death and imprisoned their followers. Mr. Carnegie testifies that there is not

a large profit in armor plate. Was it the niggardliness of the Government that drove this good man to blow-holes? If the new high-class theater could

master the feminine hat it would get a better advertisement for itself than the greatest show bills could give it. and if he goes to England Mr. Bull will

have to feed him very well to get any Plerpont Morgan's dictatorship is inplerable. When we are paying the Pres-

ident \$50,000 a year we cannot afford to pay a dictator. Three cents is quite enough fare for any passenger who has to hang to a separately.

strap and have his clothing rubbed off in Why should a bottle be in any onnected with the christening of a ship

bottle ship?

Richard Olney will be neither the head nor the tail of the Democratic ticket, with or without the influence of the President.

It would have been highly gratifying to the country if Pierpont Morgan had been shut out altogether from the latest bond

Other journals are following the Post-Dispatch in publishing Senator Tillman's speech in full, There is a great demand

If Mr. Windmuller's opposition to the New York sky-scrapers shall prove sufficiently cyclonic he may bring them down What a pretty stage farce could be

got out of our municipal doings for some years past! It would almost act itself. The well attested and substantial circulation of the Post-Dispatch is the larg-

est in the city, and will so continue. With eight new school buildings, and

A few barrels of silver dollars would Treasury.

It is only in Solid St. Louis that business man pays a surety debt of

Judge Murphy has administered to the law a powerful opiate.

To-day it is Gen. Weyler; to-morrow it may be Gen. Wailer.

A police wagon may sometimes made Comfortable. McKinley buttons mean dearer coats.

He'd Prefer Some Other Day.

From the Family Call.
Gloom is cast o'er the lot of the schoolboy who rejoices in holidays. He has discovered that not only Washington's birth-No, the United States must protect American interests in Turkey, with or without the permission of any other day. he would rather have on some other day.

An Encouraging Prospect.

om the Peorla (Ill.) Herald. A St. Louis Judge discharged a wo charged with larceny and arson because she "looked and acted like a lady." If this is all that is necessary to acquit people of crime in St. Louis the prospects for an in-crease in the vicious population may be said to be most encouraging.

An Unfortunate Mayor.

It was unfortunate for Mayor Web Davis of Kansas City that he fell out unfortunate that the Kansas City Times was able to rip his administration up the back so successfully, and in view of the recept developments, it is very unlikely that

aneously show this country can raise and any way it's taken.

Invisible in Illinois

No Bargain in Busses.

WELL-KNOWN ST. LOUISAN.



Wahl Commission Co., is one of the bright young men on 'change, He personally su-pervises the business of the firm, besides looking after its grain, lead and other interests on 'change. Mr. Greve was born considerably less than forty years ago at Verlen, Westphalia. He is socially prominent, and a member of the leading clubs MEN OF MARK.

La Revue des Deux Mondes will this year send Paul Bourget to Japan, Pierre Loti to Persia and India, and J. Chailly-Bert to voyage,

more are taking steps to commemorate the 175th anniversary of the birth of Baron de Kalb, the revolutionary soldier, which will occur on June 29. The late Max Lebaudy, who died

serving as a private in the French army, was worth \$5,000,000 and would have in-herited \$20,000,000 more had he survived his nother. His pay in the army was 1 cen a day.

who is in the habit of writing long com nunications to him on postal cards. The crark begins on one card and continues his writing on others until a single letter some imes covers a dozen cards, which he mails Gen. Horace Porter held a position on Gen. Grant's steff. For several years the for

embodying his recollections of the great commander. They will appear in the Cen-tury Magazine. It is said that they contain uch material that is entirely new. The engagement is announced of Miss Ethel Johnson, only daughter of Eastman Johnson, the American portrait painter, to

Mr. Alfred R. Conkling of New York. Mr. Conkling is the eldest son of the late Frederick Conkling and a nephew of the late Roscoe Conkling. One of his inherit-ances from Miss Catherine Wolfe was a country house at Newport.

WOMEN OF NOTE. In England there is a woman auctioneer who is successful in her chosen business which she adopted when she was only 1

Two women servants in Paris are the sole legatees of their mistress, who lately died possessed of \$120,000. This reflects credit upon both mistress and maid; good substantially acknowledged.

Miss Helen Culver is said to be ver to the University of Chicago. The an-nouncement of the donation has brought to her door interviewers, but she evades the matter as one of no great consequence. Miss Sibyl Carter has been teaching lace

reservations. The women are said to be believe this, for as they always show skill in basket weaving, they could be interested in things of more intricate and delicate

It was about 1776 in Massachusetts tha It was about 1776 in Massachusetts that the first woman, Mistress Abigail Adams, asked for the right of suffrage. Miss Mabel E. Adams of Quincy, in that State, who has just been elected to the School Board, and who is one of the leading orators in the political equality cause, is said to be one of her descendants. Miss Adams is tudent as well as a speaker and write and has given considerable time and thought to the domestic relations and conditions of American society at the present time.

WIT AND HUMOR.

Shocking Taste.—"Gamsby was a man of trocious ideas." "Yes, the wretch had red hair and committed suicide with Paris green."-Chicago Record.

Maud: What is the quarrel between Alic and Kate? Ethel: Why, you see, Alice asked Kate to tell her just what she thought of her. Maud: Yes. Ethel: Kate

Repartes.-"Kitty," he said to his wife. "you're clever, but you can't touch my mother at making beaten biscuit." "Of course not." she said; "the woman that brought you up had to have a good fist."— Chicago Record.

It was a masquerade ball and she nized him at once. "How did you come recognize me, darling? Was it the los ng of my heart that gave me away?" "Oh, no," she replied, "it was your crooked legs."—Texas Sifter.

"I remember," said Mrs. Wickwire, impressively, "you once said if you had the world you would gladly lay it at my feet."
"O, did I?" asked Mr. Wickwire. "Yes, you did. And now I have to mag at you three days to get you to lay a carpet."-

Dobson: What made you give up that play you were going to have in your ama-teur dramatic company? Did the actors all teur dramatic company? Did the actors all back out? Fooge: No; that wasn't the trouble; but our leading lady insisted on wearing a dress with a train three yards long, and the stage is only eight feet by six, so we decided to have a monologue.—

William the Silent

A liberal reward is hereby offered for Co Bill Morrison's views on the financial ques

the purpose of urging Mr. Seibert to accept the Democratic nomination for Governor.

The report of the Post-Dispatch was a first denied, and it was stated that Mr. Seibert was not seen in that city on the date of the meeting at the Planters' House. However, a representative of that paper secured an admission from Mr. Seibert at Jefferson City, Thursday and not in accord with Mr. Cleveland's financial policy; but since he is caught in training under the championship of ex-Gov. Francis, the astute single-gold standtask for Mr. Selbert to establish his claims before the masses of Missouri voters. An-other obstacle in Mr. Selbert's way is the fact that he has—up to this time—not been caught in the act of doing anything for this admirable cause, which he has no lately announced himself to be in favor of. Mr. Selbert is known to the voters of Mis-

souri, having served in succession one term as State Treasurer and two terms as State Auditor, which position he now fills. Should he become a candidate for State office at the oming election he will be taken as a fourth termer—an occurrence almost unprecedent ed in Missouri—and this fact will ten largely to weaken him before the voters a

the polls.

In reality, the talk of Mr. Selbert for the Democratic nomination has more of the semblance of a Republican trick than of

Solid for Silver.

From the Springfield (Mo.) Leader-Demo Missouri ought to send a solid silver

elgation to the Chicago Convention for he reason that the Missouri Democracy is beyond all doubt almost solidly for free

on this subject: "I think your ideas of securing a solid delegation for silver are correct. We must win at Chicago or lose Mis The State Democrats are almost una

rive them a solid delegation.

This is not to be a year of political subter fuge. Let the silver question come up for settlement at Sedalia, where it belongs,

tickets. Settle it at Sedalia and send a solid silver elegation to Chicago.

From the Peorla (Ill.) Herald. netal, alleged to have been sold as gold bricks, reposing on the counter in the office of the Y. M. C. A. They are part of the rophies exhibited by John P. Quinn, the converted gambler, and a card affixed to them states that they were once sold fo \$4,850, but to whom and where and unde what circumstances the document sayeth not. They are each the size of an ordinary Milwaukee brick and they are very heavy Each has a hole drilled on one side, where it was tested in the presence of the sucker. When the fragments removed by the drill were taken out a small quantity of real gold shavings was artfully substituted and given to the sucker, who went and had them tested and then came back and bought the

The Way to Win. From the Lagrange (Mo.) Indicator. The only thing left for the Missouri De ocracy to do is to send her delegates t the Democratic National Convention with nstruction to stay with the free silver plan and men to the finish. Then if there is straddle made or they do not get their de sires, is to bring out the most rabid free silver State ticket that can be found. This is what must be done. It is the right thing to do, both from the standpoint of princ ple and from the standpoint of policy. When that move is taken the Republican hopes in this State are written. No power on earth could down Democracy in this State with such a ticket in the field, it matters not what the National platform might b of course with the National platform a free silver one we would win an easier







Celery Soup With Cysters.

Cut three heads of celery into small pleces, using both roots and stalks; add a plece of onion as large as a hickory but and a sprig of paraley; put into a saucepan with a pint of holling water and boil half an hour; put one quart of milk into a double boiler; rub to a smooth paste a heaping tablespoonful of flour, and add to it, a little at a time, a half cup of warm milk; pour this into the hot milk and str until it is smeath and creatily; remove the paraley and rub the remaining contents with the water through the colander and add this to the milk; add a teaspoonful of salt and half a teaspoonful of pepper; as soon as it boils add two dozen nicely washed oysters; when it reaches the boiling point again remove from the fire and serve.

Painted the House in Bloomers Miss Ida Munroe of San Francisco is looked upon by her neighbors as a kind of heroine, because she performed what ahe herself considers the very simple feat of painting her mother's house. Her family are in the habit of speaking of her as the "man of the house," and calling upon her to drive the nails and fix fences, so when the roof needed a painting, and they could not afford to hire any one to do it, it seemed a very natural thing for her to take the task upon herself. She donned her bicycle bloomers, and says that she enjoyed the work immensely.

Why Kissing-Is Pleasant.

The reason kissing is so pleasant, say an osculatory expert of scientific tender cies, is because the teeth, jaw-bones an ilps are full of nerves, and when the lip of persons meet an electric current is gene ated, and, chips in a facetious dontemperary, you don't have to have a dy-amo michine nor a battery in the house, nor a cabox, nor a button to touch to ring up the central office, and there is no patent on and the poorest person in the world called the millionaire, and it never gets out of orde If Edison had invented kissing it would have cost \$100 a year, like the telephon and then extra kissing would be charge up extra, and if you didn't pay for it the would take out your kissaphone and diconnect you from the central office.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

(The Post-Dispatch does not hold itself re-ple for any opinions or statement of facts i etters. It is a free parliament.) A Street Railway Problem.

While all the talk of "philanthropy" going on about the street railways, we couldn't our City Council also make a largulating the pay of the thousands employes (most all citizens) and have the make an agreement, and place a forf with the city that they will pay the men much per hour while on ddyy' It would be a move in the right direction. While you corner the roads in one way they might do something worse in another, and it would be a greater saving to the city to avoid any-thing like they had in Brooklyn last year. Our wise Councilmen seem to have over-

Cleanliness Is Good.

To the Editor of The Fost-Dispatch.

One is often inclined to agree with Burke that primitive social conditions were the best. In the old days (when beople were far healthier than they are now) we heard nothing concerning the contagious character of consumption, diphtheris, or the expectorations of the people. But now, even kissing is condemned on hygienic grounds. When one understands that the greatest doctors admit that the science of middlethe is a humbus, the barbarous crueity of these medical contentions is apparent, condemning to an isolation worse than death the harmless consumptive and taking to a pest-house the diphtheria patient. It is time to call a halt and to "call down" these doctors, before the people get thoroughly frightened at each other and each one takes to a hermitage.

The following is the French recipe for serving the gloss of patent leather, pure wax over a water-bath, place of moderate coal fire, add first some cilve then some lard and mix intimately by ring; next add some oil of turpentine, finally some oil of lavender, fill the resu paste in boxes where, on solidifying, necessary consistency will be acquired restore the gloss to the leather app little of the paste and rub with a linen This will keep the leather soft and precracking.

THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

There is a little spot on my face which is constantly, breaking out with something which resembles (but is not) pimples, and is accompanied by itching. Please suggest a

Please publish a remedy for a person troubled with nervous dyspepsia. My heart beats very rapidly at times and I am very nervous and troubled with constipation.

1. Take the tincture of nux vomica as directed above, 2. For the constipation take one teaspoonful of pure sulphate of soda in a gobletful of hot water an hour before breakfast areasy.

breakfast every morning.

Will you kindly inform me of a remedy to bring the skin to its natural color after having nitric acid dropped on it, which left a small white scar on the face. There is no remedy for the purpose. The outer skin has probably been destroyed by

the acid and will peel off, when new skin will replace it.

comes. I will tell you: It comes from di interested philanthropists, real estate spe-lators and a few sky-scraper architec-land there is one motive in their erection

profit.

Mr. Carpenter says there are no arguments against them. Here are two: They are not beautiful and they are not needed. What we do need is more good buildings not more "stories." We want the city to grow, but if its only growth is to the stars Twelfth street will be "too far out" for the next ten years.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.

New Armory Hall.

Removal of Union Market.

Editor of The Post-Disposite question of remot has been agitated

Federal, Mexican and Texas Officials Will Stop Stuart's Pugs.

ATTY.-GEN. HARMON TALKS.

Texas Will Assume Jurisdiction Over Any Disputed Territory-Stuart's Prespects Very Blue.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.-If an attempt is now made by the promoters of the Fitzsim-mons-Maher prize fight to "pull it off" in New Mexico, the Government will prevent it at all hazards. Attorney-General Harmon

ted States we will follow them to the end of earth if necessary to bring them to justice." Opinion appears to be that Gov. Culberson Opinion appears to be that Gov. Culberson will certainly prevent the fight in Texas territory and no doubt has influence enough with Mexican authorities to prevent its taking place in Mexica. It is understood that Gov. Culberson has gone to the frontier to direct in person the movements of the Texas militia, if necessary, to prevent the battle taking place on Texas territory.

Texas, undoubtedly, will assume jurisdiction of the disputed territory for the time being. If it is definitely known where the fight is to come off, the authorities in that

the New York politician and turfman, will campsign in England this season, is at present in training at Wantage, a historic little hamiet in Berkshire, sixty miles from London. Charley Morton has succeeded Hardy Campbell as trainer of the Croker stable. He is a thoroughly typical English horseman, with his clean-shaven face, and stands the picture of the ex-jockey that he is. As to weight, Morton could soale tomorrow at 108 pounds. He is the only trainer in Europe who lives in an island home. His residence might be called a "moat." surrounded as it is by water. The streamlet which surrounds his house atfords good fishing, and many a speckled trout has been hooked on lines cast from his drawing-room windows. In reply to a question asking his opinion of Montauk, Mr. Croker's Derby entry, Morton sald:

"No horse could have progressed more favorably, but he is being saked a big Derby question with such veritable flyers as Saint Frusquin and Fersimmon, who will carry the strength of the property of the cannot get far away from the colt. Persimmon, who will carry the strength of the property of work on the Downs and never leaves an oat or bean in his samager."

In regard to training Morton explained that he worked his string in two separate sections, one before the dew is off the grass and the other about 2p. m. He has truly splendld training grounds, quite close to the house, but when serious work is undertable house and on the Downs, would seem by nature to have been specially on the stud farm, where Dobbins will be "monarch of all he surveys," is by nature to have been specially on the stud farm, where Dobbins will be "monarch of all he surveys," is by nature to have been specially of the he stud farm, where Dobbins will be "monarch of all he surveys," is by nature to have been specially of the cannot be completed in the content of the present purposes. The soil, especially on the stud farm, where Dobbins will be "monarch of all he surveys," is by nature to have been pecially of the cannot have been been specially

RICHARD CROP SR'S HORSES.

They Are in Training at Wantage,
Sixty Miles From London. The racing stable which Richard Croker, the New York politician and turtman, will campaign in England this season, is a

RICHARD CROKER'S COUNTRY SEAT IN ENGLAND.





THE CROKER HORSES-AT WORK ON THE LAWNS ADJOINING MOAT HOUSE

FIGHT IN PRIVATE.

The Maker-Fitz Battle May Be Pulled Off Privately at Once.

There seems to be but little doubt but that Dan Stuart will succeed in pulling off at least one of the fights that he has scheduled of the remainder of the battle will hardly be decided "near El Paso." The kinetoscop

be decided "near El Paso." The kinetoscope people are determined to have the big fight between Maher and Fitssimmons, even if it has to be decided in private with no one present but the men, their backes, seconds and the ring officials.

These people stand to loose \$40,000 in event of a failure to bring off this fight. They have put up all the money for the contests, and have apparatus on the ground that stands them the handsome sum of \$17,000. The latest tip given out is that they only await a clear sunny day in which their photographic outfit can do perfect work. All effort to bring off the big fight in public seems to have been abandoned and the probabilities are that there will not be over 250 trusted confidants of the promoters, who will get the information in time to see the fight, and that the public in general will know nothing about it until they hear that either Fitzsimmons or Maher is champion.

It is now given out that the original intention was to have had the fights in New Mexico, and that Las Cruces was the exact location. Gov. Thornton, the Territorial Executive, was lukewarm in the matter, and the people of Donna Anna County were enthusiastic and everything seemed smooth sailing. The fights could have been pulled off under these circumstances if Congress had not been in session, but Stuart, with all his shrewdness, seems to have overlooked this point. Delegate Cairon was quick to see this advanate, and he utilized if to give "Mohammed Dan" a knock-out blow scarce-ly less disastrous to those of the Governors of Texas and Arkansas.

JACKS WERE LIVELY. The Greyhounds Were Led a Merry

Chase at the Fair Grounds. The coursing meet at the Fair Grounds yesterday proved a great success. Never before in the history of coursing in St. Louis did the greyhounds have such a hard

before in the history of coursing in St. Louis did the greyhounds have such a hard time in catching the jacks. The sport opened at 2 p. m. with a big crowd of dog fanciers on hand. R. J. Rothwell's dog Web and Frank Kane's bitch Lady Haraway and England the course between J. J. Curran's bitch Princess May and Eugene Naily's dog Blucher. After an evtremely long race the course was awarded to Princess May. John Bambrick's Elsie B., the bitch that won the last course at Brentwood, defeated Tom Kelley's dog Gold Dust. It took two courses to decide the next match between John Egan's bitch Eleanor and J. J. Curran's bitch Millita, the latter being declared the winner. The next course was an exciting one between Ben O'Keefe's big dog Tipperary Boy and Wm. McKellop's dog Denny, the Ringer. The jack made straight for the mud with dogs close behind; after reaching the mud the jack gained and slipped away. Tipperary Boy was awarded the course.

The first final was run between Princess May and Elsie B., the latter being de. ared the winner. Millita and Tipperary Boy ran the second final and Millita won easy. The last final was between Hein En and Millita, and the latter proved too strong for the

jurisdiction can arrest the principals before intended to develop bone and grit and size a breach of the peace takes place. FRED FOSTER RETURNS. Dr. Bice and Eloroy Will Be Allowed

to Start in the Suburban. Fred Foster has returned from the East the Coney Island Jockey Club authorities that there was no occasion for their reported objection to receiving the entries of Dr. Rice and Eloroy to the Suburban Handicap. The pair were entered in the name of Fred's brother Matt, and according to Fred the transfer was a bona fide sale, as the records in the Recorder of Deeds' office will prove.

Fred Foster's connection with the outlawed race meeting at Sportsman's Park is what makes him persona non grata to the turf magnates. Fred opened the track, and although he claims to have sold out to his brother Dave before the outlaw season commenced, the Western Turf Congress magnates don't seem to think the transaction clears Foster. In consequence the Foster stake entries were declined by the Fair Grounds and other tracks in the Congress.

Dr. Rice and Eloroy were entered for the Brooklyn Handicap, but their nominations were made one day too late. The weights for the Suburban are out and the Coney Island Club handicapper included Dr. Rice and Eloroy in his work.

Fred Foster's announcement that Dr. Rice and Eloroy would be allowed to start in the Suburban will have to be confirmed by the official ruling of the jockey club before many well-posted horsemen will be satisfied that it is an absolute fact.

FRED ELY'S CONDITION.

The Great Short Stop Is in Better Shape Than He Ever Was.

Fred Ely's personal appearance anything but verifies the report that he was suffering but verifies the report that he was suffering from consumption. When Fred was sold to Pittsburg some of Mr. Von der Ahe's friends, it will be remembered, defended the St. Louis magnate's action in disposing of the great shortstop, on the grounds that Ely's health was bad and thab he could not last more than one more season on the diamond.

This report was given considerable publicity at the time of Ely's sale to Pittsburg and quite a number of Fred's local friends really thought there was something in it. In view of this fact it will be reassuring news to them to know that, instead of being in bad health. Ely was never before in better physical condition. He weighs twenty pounds more than he did last spring and looks as big as an ox. He will join Jake Backley at Hot Springs in a day or so, and expects to get into condition to play the game of his life this season. Ely is undoutedly one of the most brilliant players that ever wore a St. Louis uniform, and his absence from the team is sure to make a material difference in the work of the Browns' infield.

TWO GREAT GAMES.

The Diels and St. Teresas Played

Drawn Battle of Foot Ball. The two foot ball games at Sportsman's Park Sunday, between the Diels and St. Teresus, resulted in a grawn battle, as each side won a game. The first contest, resulted in an easy victory for the Diels, who whitewashed the Grand avenue boys by a score of \$ to 0. The second game resulted in a victory for the St. Teresus by a score of \$ to 0. The bels dispute the legality of one of the goals made by their opponents and the game may be protested. The field was in miserable shape. About 2,000 spectators were on hand to witness the games.

At South Side Park Sunday morning the Union Depots whitewashed the St. Bridgett to first tune of \$ to 0. The Cycling Club and Celege boys did not play. Manager Tevy of the Cycling Club would like to strange as fies of games with the winners of the Park Sunday, between the Diels and St. Joseph Luebbers

given at the South St. Louis Turner Hall o Feb. 16.

Preparations for the coming rowing seasor are now under way at the Modoc's club house and Capt. Eveson expects to make the club's entries factors in every event in which they compete.

Kennel Club Meeting.

A general open meeting of the St. Louis Kennel Club will be held Wednesday even-ing at the down-town headquarters, 506 Olive street. The premium lists will be ready for distribution at this meeting. The regular weekly meetings will horeafter take place on Wednesday nights. Al G. Eberhardt, Superintendent of the Bench Show, may run over from Cincinnati this week.

MEXICAN MINISTER ROMERO. He Says His Government Will Stop

the Maher-Fitz Fight. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 10.-Mr. R mero, the Mexican Minister here, said to-day that it was his understanding that the Mexican State authorities would certainly prevent the Maher-Fitzsimmons mill from taking place on Mexican soil.

RHODES COES TO AFRICA.

His Sudden Departure a Surprise to British Officials.

LONDON, Feb. 10.-The Hon. Cecil Rhodes, formerly Premier of Cape Colony started for South Africa to-day. His destarted for South Africa to-day. His departure was managed very quietly. He will go via the Suez Canal. The Duks of Abercorn, President of the British Chartered South African Co., and a few friends were the only people who saw Mr. Rhodes off. It is understood that he will return to England for the trial of Dr. Jamison, which will take place in June next.

The sudden departure of Mr. Rhodes was a surprise, it is said, to the Colonial Office. The Pall Mall Gasette says it is rumored that Mr. Rhodes went away in order to defeat any attempt upon the part of the House of Commons to stop him from leaving the country.

CHEATED SLOT MACHINES. Two Brothers Accused of Making and Passing Spurious Nickels.

SEDALIA, Mo., Feb. 10,-Charles "Pump" Hardin, brothers, were arrested this morning by Deputy United States Marshal Stone, charged with making counterfeit nickels and working them off on slot machines. They will be taken to Clinton to-night to answer before a United States Commissioner.

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IN THE CHAIN GANG.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Feb. 10.—
Schlatter, the "Healer," the lowly Denver cobbler who cured the lame, deaf and blind of their ailments, who was daily besieged by thousands of suffering mortals anxious to secure release of their ills, and who, secured the secure release of their ills, and who, secured the secure release of their ills, and who, secured the secure release of their ills, and who, secured the secure release of their ills, and who, secured the secure release of their ills, and who, secured the secure release of their ills, and who, secured the secure release of their ills, and who, secured the secure release of their ills, and who, secured the se

by thousands of suffering mortals anxious to secure release of their ills, and who, several months ago, mysteriously disappeared from Mountaintown, N. M., is an inmate of the San Bernardine jail, and a member of the local chain gang.

The man, who is declared to be none other than this performer of miracles, was picked up in Rediands yesterday morning by a Constable, who arrested him for vagrancy. When brought before the Justice and asked his name, he answered:

"Call me Ellipah," and since that reply was given he answers all questions as to his identity with a sorrowful glance and will not speak of himself.

He was brought to this city Friday night, lodged in jail in a cell full of tramps and vagrants, and Saturday morning was one of the first in the chain gang which marched from the jail to the stockade. The instant he appeared on the street a score of people were struck with the resemblance to the published pictures of Schlatter. His features are of German mould and his complexion is quite fair, except that it shows the effect of exposure; his beard is not thick, but is worn in the style which is shown in the old masters' pictures of Christ, while his heavy growth of nutbrown hair flows to his shoulders, matted and unkempt.

"I do penance," said he to Overseer Heading at the veckylle, vesterday morner.

Christ, while his heavy growth of nutbrown hair flows to his shoulders, matted and unkempt.

"I do penance," said he to Overseer Hocking, at the rock-pile, yesterday morning, when the scene of operations had been reached, and, seizing a hammer, he separated himself from the other prisoners and worked like a man whose life depended upon the amount he accomplished. Not a word would he utter except when spoken to by the overseer, to whom he was obedient. All day long the coarse jests of the other members of the gang did not bring from him the least remonstrance.

During the day, the overseer became interested in the map, and remembering that Schlatter had been seen riding on a white mule, asked him what had become of the animal, to which the stranger replied that he had lost it in the desert near Yuma.

"And where are you going from here?" asked the overseer.

"I know not," replied the main, 'berhaps to the South, perhaps to the West-whichever way I may be called."

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the Lindell.

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cago, is at the St. Nicholas.

G. F. Weller, Vice-President of the Richardsot

THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

Sad State of the Denver Healer and Senator Smith Opposes the Adoption of Worker of Mysteries.

Davis resolution expounding the Monroe doctrine.

Senator Smith announced that he was opposed to the adoption of the resolutions introduced by his colleague (Mr. Sswell) and quite as strongly opposed to those reported by the Foreign Relations Committee, and he supplemented these two assertions with the remark that he had very little sympathy with the position assumed by the Senator from Colorado (Mr. Wolcott). There was, he argued, no occasion for any action of any kind upon this subject by the Senate at this time. Both Houses of Congress, by the passage of the resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to determine the true divisional line between Venezuela and British Guiana, had done all that the President and Secretary of State, charged with the responsibility of diplomatic negotiations with other Powers, desired and all that the people expected.

"We have." he said, "done all that either prudence can justify or particitism demand. We have met the situation outlined to us by the President in such a manner as to show that there is no division of sentiment in the Government of the United States when any question of national honor is involved. It is not only unnecessary, but unwise to either qualify or intensify our action thus taken in response to both an Executive and a public demand.

Later on in his speech, Senator Smith said: "The Monroe doctrine does apply to the controversy between Great Britain and Venezuela, quite as truly and quite as justly as if the flying squadron were now in a Venezuelan port demanding the submission of a people who have achieved their independence. To define the methods by which a foreign power may accomplish its purpose by evading technicalities is to nullify absolutely the American principle upon which we take our stand."

The proper way and the only way to apply effectually the Monroe doctrine in dealing with foreign powers was to apply it to each individual case as that case might arrise. The ringing message of the President of the Country, was, he said, suffic

GRAND LODGE A. O. U. W.

Delegates to the Biennial Meeting Ar riving in St. Louis.

About fifty delegates to the bi-ennial About fifty delegates to the bleaning meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Andent Order of United Workmen arrived here Monday morning. Some 450 more are expected by the time the session opens at Enrtainment Hall, Exposition Building, at a. m. Tuesday.

The grand officers were among the arrivals to-day. They are W. H. Miller of Kansas City, who is Grand Master; J. H. Bus

vals to-day. They are W. H. Miller of Kansas City, who is Grand Master; J. H. Bus of St. Louis, Grand Foreman; Dr. W. A. William, Grand Overseer; W. F. Bohn of St. Louis, Grand Receiver; A. B. McCoy of Moberly, Grand Receiver; A. B. McCoy of Moberly, Grand Receiver; A. B. McCoy of Moberly, Grand Guide.

They held a conference in the offices of the Grand Receiver; and the Turner Building, and made arrangements reparding reports, etc. They also completed the programme of amusement and entertainment. If there is anything the United Workmen like it is amusement, and one of the chief features of their meetings is the genial way they combine business with pleasure. It has been arranged to give a banquet at the Lindell Hotel, a reception having been arranged, and in the evening at a musical entertainment and supper by the various lodges of the Degree of Honor of St. Louis at the Phoenix Lodge Hall, Eighth and Franklin avenue.

Wednesday afternoon the delegates and their wives or lady friends will attend the theaters. In the evening a grand complimentary entertainment will be given at the Music Hall Exposition Building under the management of Prof. A. G. Robyn. Seats will be reserved for the delegates in the parquet. On Thursday the Degree of Honor Committee will meet the ladies at the Lindell Hotel at 1p. m. and escort them to points of interest. In the evening the entire new ritual, with paraphernalia and soreen work, will be exemplined by a select team at Entertainment Hall. On that svening the Supreme Master and others will deliver addresses.

This programme was arranged by Messrs. Chas Clear. Dr. C. A Robanne. C. A.

THE GREAT

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me while home on a visit, over a year ago, to get a box of Ripans Tabules and take them. I did, and in a very short time I was benefited, I was well, and since then I have felt better, ate more and relished it better than at any time since the war, and am doing more work now than I ever expected to do again. I tell you, they are the greatest medicine for a fellow's stomach I ever saw. This box is for a neighbor of mine out by me in the country. We always have them at home, and I never hesitate to

hurting him. R. L. JOHNS," (Signed),

recommend them when a fellow complains about his stomach

Ripans Tabules are sold by druggists, or by f the price (50 cents a box) is sent to The Ri hemical Company, No. 10 Spruce st., New lample vial, 10 cents.

come up provides for a life insurance of \$1,000, making two classes, instead of one. At present all certificates call for \$2,000. It is said a movement is on to move the headquarters from St. Louis to Kansas City. Delegate T. C. Holland of Sedalia heard some talk of it, but says he does not favor the plan. The local delegates are preparing to defeat any such movement.

BLIND MAN BURNED. He Attempted to Save His Daughter Whose Dress Was on Fire.

BEDALIA, M., sold Barnes, the blind street corner musician, was badly burned yesterday, and her father received severe burnin trying to save her. The girl's apron took fire at the kitchen stove. She will get well.

Burial Permits.

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JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 18.—G
Stone has appointed George Ireland coal
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BUGGY-For sale, storm buggy, good as new, \$65: Fidelity Storage, Packing and Moving Co., 1725 Morgan st. CARRIAGES—New and second-hand open and to wagons, surreys, phaetons, storm buggles; monthly payments. Northwestern Buggy Co., 1110 N. B'Way

ALL-SORTS.

STOVE REPAIRS. and repairs for stoves and ranges ption. A. G. Brauer, 219 Locust st.

NX drug store is authority

FIDELITY STORAGE, PACKING & MOVING CO 1708-95-97 and 30 Morgan St.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES

HOTEL FOR CONVENTION f 32 rooms; new, electric lighted, steam heat; neap to right party; northwest corner 20th and arket sts. JOHN H. TERRY & SONS, 621 Chestnut st.

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DEEDS OF TRUST-For sale, first deeds of trust on city property, payable monthly, bearing 6 per cent interest, in amounts ranging from \$200 to \$10,000. 925 Chestnut at. MISSOURI AND CRIPPLE CREEK BROKERAGE CO. Buy and sell Cripple Creek mining stocks and properties. Send 10c for book about this great D. W. and LESLIE MARMADUKE, Managers, P. O. Box F, Cripple Creek, Colo.

MONEY TO LOAN. \$200, \$300, \$400, \$500 to \$50,000 on go uis real estate security. JNO. H. TERRY & SONS

FARMS FOR LEASE.

FARM—For lease in St. Louis county, only 3 mile from the city, 150 acres, all or in part, suitable in dairy, gardener, stock or general larming; reaso; able rent; possession March I, 1896. Apply to P. LANGALIER, 1009 Chestaut at

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MORGAN LOAN CO. will lend \$10 and upwards on furniture, plaros, bleycles and other security, and guarantee the best rates in the city; weekly or monthly payments accepted. Call or address 1015 Morgan St.

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payments without removal, in sums and COMMERCIAL LOAN CO.,

PERSONAL

ERSONAL-Olga: All right; come Tuesday,

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

-1,000 BIZ Cards 25c., nothds, billbds, envs., 75c. Cut prices. Benton & Co., 622 Locust. A-DIVORCES a specialty; easy terms; confider tial. Law office, 304 N. 6th, bet. Olive and Locus ALL private matters treated free, male or female A cure guaranteed. D. Medical Co., 107 N. 9th. DIVORCE and damage suits a specialty; easy pay ments; advice free. 514 Pine st., 2d floor, room 2 DR. MARY ARTHUR, 2340 Wash st.; boards indice during confinement; treats female diseases and complaints; ladies in trouble call or write; con-sultation free.

MRS. L. HOTSON receives during contreats irregularities; satisfaction gr IRS. RENNEKAMP, midwife, private home at board for ladies during confinement, 2327 Frankli MRS. ANNA NEWLAND, midwife, 29 S. 14th st., boards ladies during confinement; treats fe-male troubles; terms reasonable; call or write. MRS. H. BAMBERGER, midwife; ladies can flad help sind board reasonable. Res., 219 Chouteau av. MRS. L. HOTSON receives during confinement; treats irregularities; satisfaction guaranteed; bonest dealing; information free; experience in dis-cesses; ladies in trouble call. 1808 Washington av. ME. ANNA, the fortune teller of the West, 32 Market st., room 4. Established 1851.

ADIES! Chichester's English Pennytoyal Pill Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable Take no other. Send 4c stamps for particulars "Relief for Ladies" in letter by return mail. A Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

DOPTION—Protestant family to adopt blonde gir baby 2 months old. 1335 N. Garrison av. STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS. NOTICE of Stockholders' Meeting.—Stoble Cereal Mills.—Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Stoble Cereal Mills will be held at the Office of said corporation, Numbers of the Stockholders of the Stoble Cereal Mills will be held at the Office of said corporation, Numbers of the Stockholders, and the City of St. Louis, Missouri, on MONDAY, THE BOTH DAY OF MARCH, 1896, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to extend the business of said corporation to the buying, selling and dealing in grain in addition to its business heretofore carried on under express authority of its Articles of Association, and to authorize the Board of Directors of said Company to invest its surplus earnings, from time to time, in such property and kinds of property, bonds, stocks, securities and Kinds of securities as to said Board may seem best and to amend the Articles of Association of such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting.

DAVID A. MARKS, WM. STOBIE.

DAVID A. MARKS, WM. STOBIE, A majority of the Board of Directors St. Louis, Jan. 25, 1896.

STOCKHOLDERS' Meeting—A meeting of the stockbolders of the St. Louis Dairy Company will be held at the office of the company, northwest coner 12th and Chestnut streets, on Monday, February 10, 1896, from 9 a.m. to 12 m., for the purpose of electing directors to serve during the ensuing year.

T. T. TURNER, President.

J. C. CABANNE, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the George G. Brimme Photograph Co. of St. Louis for the election of we (5) directors to serve during the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business a may properly come before the meeting, will be hel at the office of the company, in the McLean Bulling, Fourth and Market streets, St. Louis, Mo., of the 19th day of February, 1896, at 4 o'clock p. m. GEORGE G. BRIMMER, President. Attest: FRANK F. BRIMMER, Secretary. St. Louis, Feb. 8, 1896.

OFFICE OF THE REAL ESTATE BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION NO. 2, 708 Chestnust, St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3, 1898.—The annuamenting of the stockholders of the Real Estate Building and Loan Association No. 2 for the election of thirteen directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held the office of the company, No. 708 Chestnut st. St. Louis, Mo., on Weduceday, the 12th day of February, 1896, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. Polis will close promptly at 5 o'clock p. m. Attest:

WILLIAM ZINK, Secretary.

LEGAL IN the matter of the Assignment of A. B. Jones Stationery Co. No. 1,152 in the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the assigned estate of A. B. Jones and J. H. Bradley, lately partners, under the name A. B. Jones Stationery Co., that the undersigned assignee of said Jones and Bradley will apply to the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri (Room 3), for a discharge from his trust as such assignee, on Tuesday, the 3d day of March, 1898.

January 20, 1896.

ASSIGNEES'S NOTICE—The undersigned assignee sented may be precluded of any benefit state. HENRY L. SUTTON, As St. Louis, Jan. 20, 1896.

TRUSTEE'S SALE—Whereas, the R. & T.
Ennis Stationery Company (a corporation)
its certain deed of trust dated January 27th, 185
conveyed to the undersigned in trust for the proper
poses therein mentioned, among other proper
the following described property, to-wit:
The entire stock of stationery, paper, blank bo

REAL ESTATE AUC

On the Floor of the Real Estate Exchange COR. CRESTNUT AND SEVENTH STS.,

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15th, at 2 P. M.

TWO CENTRAL BUSINESS CORNERS

S. W. Cor. Pine and Eleventh Streets, 50x109.4, with seven new one-story stores, well rented

S. E. Cor. Chestnut and 10th Streets.

85x112.9, with temporary buildings, paying fair rental. These corners are in the immediate track of the finest business improvements in the city and are increasing more rapidly and surely in value than any other property in the city.

This is a chance such as may never be offered again. DON'T MISS IT.

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL CHICAGO LINE. cago Day Ex., daily ex. Sun. . 8:40 am 6:40 pm 7:24 am ATR LINE.

LOUISVILLE EVANSVILLE AND ST. LOUIS

CONSOLIDATED BAILROAD. IRON MOUNTAIN BOUTE. Texas Fast Mail to Little Rock.
Texas Fast Mail to Rock.
Columbus Accommodation, daily.
Flot Springs, Dallas and Fort Worth Express, daily.
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Fast Mail to Evansville, Nash-ville, Chattanooga, Atlanta, Birmingham, Mobile, New Orleans and Jacksowille, Fla.
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more and New York, daily.
Cincinnati, Louisrille and Pittabug Express, daily.
Cincinnati, Louisrille, Washington and New York Fast Line.
daily
Washington (Ind.) Accommodation, except Sunday.
Salem (Ill.) Accommodation, except Sunday.
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Fast Express and Mail, daily.

BIG FOULD ROUNTE. outhern Express to Evensville, Nashville, Birmingham, Mo-bile, New Orleans, Thomas-ville, Jacksonville and Tampa, Fiz., daily CLEVELAND, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO & ST. MISSOURI PACIFIC RY. Local Passenger.

Kan. City. Omaha. Lincoln and Southern Kansas Exp., daily.

Washington Accommodation.

Kansas City. St. Joseph. Omaha.

Southern Kansas and Colorado Fast Line, daily.

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MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD. BURLINGTON ROUTE.
ST. L., K. & N. W. R. R.—UNION STATION. ST. L., K. C. & COLORADO.

Peoria and Springfield Mail, Depart. Arrive. daily except Sunday....... 8:04 am 6:52 pm Peoria Special, daily...... 8:15 pm 6:52 am ST. L. & SAN FRANCISCO.

Kan. & Oklahoma Mail, daily ... Benart. Arrive.

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Cotton Belt Express, daily..... | Depart. | Africa. | 7:50 am | 6:50 pm

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Rock Island, St. Paul. Minne Depart. Arriva-apolis. Peoria. La Crosse and Dubaque Express. daily ... 8:36 am Rock: Island. Bushoell. Gaiss-burg. Peoria Express, daily ... 7:45 pm 7:48 am

TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & KANSAS CITT RY.

CHICAGO & ALTON.

Little ROCK, Art., Feb. 10.—A St. Louis traveling alesman named Samuel Lowenshon, formerly with the St. Louis Glass and Queensware Co., was arrested at his hotel yesterday morning, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. Lowenshon cashed drafts aggregating 310 on the house which he tormerly represented. They were dishonored and when this fact became known he was promptly arrested and landed in jail. He has not been able to give bail.

CHILD KICKED TO DEATH.

She Was Unseated by a Frightened Horse and Dragged.

BONHAM, Tex., Feb. 10.—Yesterday evening little Dorris, the 5-year-old daughter of Mrs. Leslle White, was riding a horse which was being led by her little cousin, Sim White, 8 years old. The horse became frightened and threw little Dorris from her seat. Unfortunately her foot caught in the stirrup and the horse ran some distance, kicking her in the head and crushing the skull. Finally she was kicked loose and was carried to her home. She died this morning about 6 o'clock. Little Sim was knocked down by the frightened animal and one of his legs broken.

FOR FREE CUBA. Joint Resolution Offered By Mr. Cam-

eron in the Senate. WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 .- In the Senate

to-day Senator Cameron of Pennsylvania offered a joint resolution on quoting the sident's reference to the Cuban war in last message, declaring that there are no ans of securing peace to Cuba except by ing it the right of self-government, and ering to Spain the friendly offices of the ited States to bring about this result. The resolution to recommit the tariff ancial bill went over until to-morrow.

AN OUNCE OF LAUDANUM.

Sherman Dennis' Effort to Take His Life Unsucessful.

Sherman Dennis, who was employed at the Grand Restaurant, 111 North Sixth street, tried to end his life Monday afterstreet, tried to end his life Monday afternoon by taking an ounce of laudanum at
the lodging house at the northeast corner
of Seventh and Chestnut streets.

Dennis and his wife lived at the house
named, and both were employed at the
same place. Dennis has been ill for some
months and was very despondent. He procured the laudanum without his wife's
knowledge, and it was an hour after he
swallowed it before she learned of his act.
She notified the police and an ambulance
was called. At the dispensary the doctors said he would recover.

PANIC IN MADRID.

Explosion of an Immense Aerolite Over the City.

MADRID, Feb. 10.-An immenses aerolite exploded above this city at 9:30 a. m. to-day. exploded above this city at 9:30 a. m. to-day. There was a vivid glare of light and a loud report, followed by a general panic. All the buildings were shaken and many windows were shattered.

According to the officials of the Madrid Observatory the explosion occurred twenty miles above the earth.

The force of the explosion was felt for several kilometers around this city and the concussion was so severe that the partition wall of the United States Legation collapsed and nearly all the windows of that building were broken.

Ships Arrived.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Arrived: Steamer urania, Liverpool; Maasdam, Rotterdam. LONDON, Feb. 10.—Arrived: Steamer lississippi, New York. THE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 9. morning's cables, all shipped some wheat tralia, which country

1,880,474 4,425,636 527,431 2,833,790 641,653 486,876 4,462 21,817 70,487 4,040,718 956,683 465,480 2,012,084

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CORN. OATS. 19% b 19% @19% 18% b 18% b Future Prices.

Closing Highest Lowest Saturday. To-day. To-day.

CHICAGO-Reported by Gaylord, Blessing & Co WHEAT CORN May . | 21% | 21% | PORK. 211/4 211/4 May . | \$10.821/ \$10.35 | \$10.221/ 10.25@271/

day .| 5.67% 5.65 | 5.321/2

Bull sentiment feceived a severe chill this morning, and the trade after sizing up the market influences that lay before them, turned to the selling side with a good deal of alscrity. European cable adrices were especially discouraging, besides reporting dull markets, with Liverpool 5dd lower and London "slightly worse" (whatever that may be), they announcing largely increased Black Sea shipments, confirming the enlarged exports of the Argentine, placing the tôtal set afloat for Europe 7,000,000 bu and an increase in Liverpool stocks since Feb. 1. There was no relief in conditions o uthis side, as the weather continued favorable, an excellent crop report was made by Michigan, and receipts were wonderful considering the season of the year. In the Northwest 605 cars were received, against 217 one year ago, 34,000 bu at St. Louis, against 217 one year ago, and at all western markets 61,000 bu received, against 14,000 for same day last year.

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CLASTOR BEANS—Salable at \$1.25 for prime in ar lots; smaller lots, \$1.2061.52.

LEAD AND SPELTER.

LEAD Frm. 42.934 bid. at \$2.90 and for hemical hard, \$2.934 bid. \$2.75.

ON THE STREET.

NOTICE-Beonomy of space requires the omission of markets infrequently changed. Articles not quoted will therefore be noted as unchanged from their last preceding publication.

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MALAGA GRAPES—Now sell at 4567 per bbl.

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DRIED FRUIT—Steady, but quiet. Apples—
Evaporated rings brish, 568346 per lb; dark, 36

et sun-dried quarters, 1346246; jejly stock, 134c.

Peaches—Sun-dried, 136146.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT—Fears, \$2.2562.75 per 40. CALIFORNIA FRUIATION OF CODE CODE SERVICE CRANBERRIES—Quief. Cape Cod. \$8 per bbl; Cape



of 880,000 bu in amount afoat and by a smaller decrease in the visible than expected. The reduction was 615,000 bm, where one year ago it was 1.654,000 bm, where one year ago it was 1.654,000 bm. The late cables were 16 lower for Liverpool, but Continental markets showed no material change. There was considerable weakness they railled on better buying and the close was firm.

Spot grades—A dead-alive market one call, little attempt being made to trade, as hardly any offer to be considerable was lossed at the continents of the considerable was not be considered for Por No. 2 red the only bid was 70c for F. and none offered anywhere. No. 3 red offered regular at 674c, bid 67c for F and A. After call No. 2 red sold on track at 764, at 68c to 69c; No. 4 winter at 68c.

The lower wheat market had a weakening effect, but did not cause much of a decline in price this morning. Receipts, 60 at 18 morning. Receipts, 60 at

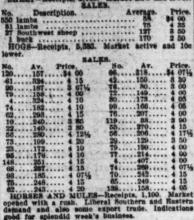
MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Flax, cash, Nortunes, congletic Mar, 9469644c. Timothy, cash, 43.85; Feb, 3.90; March, 48.95.

KANNAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 10.—Wheat about 1c lower; moderate milling demand; No. 2 hard 65446
60c; No. 3, 556285c; rejected nominally, 38648c; No. 2 refe, 756276c. Corn weak; No. 2 mixed 232234c; No. 2 white, 25c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed wominally, 18619c; No. 2 white, 25c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed wominally, 18619c; No. 2 white, 25c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed wominally, 18619c; No. 2 white, 25c. April, 35.507. Butter—Creamery weak, 176184c; dairy steady; 136315c. Eggs quiet, 11c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Butter—Receipts, 7,391 pkg; strong; créamery, 126319c; Western dairy, 10 G14c; Elgins, 19c. Eggs—Receipts, 6,249 pkgs; firm;

LIVE STOCK



EXCHANGE—Queted by A. G. Edwards & So ew York—Par bid; 25c prem. asked. bicago—Par bid; 25c prem. asked. inclunati—Par bid; 25c prem. asked. ouisville—25c discount bid; par asked. ew Orleans—25c discount bid; par asked. Piaconne; rates at St. Louis banks steady at 6

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Tobacco, com.	76	8014	75%	T9%
American Tobacco, pfd	101%			101%
Atchison, com	16%	1736	1814	17%
Atchison, pfd	26	28%	26	26%
Atchison 4s	76%	77%	78%	7776
Atchison 2ds	2516	27	251/2	20%
Baltimore & Ohio		3819	8074	811
Canada Southern	00%	017	1974	177
C. & O., com	107	10714	106	1081
Central New Jersey Chicago Gas Trust	101	4814	65%	
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C., B. I. & P		7412	7844	74
C., B. & Q	819	8112	81	819
C., M. & St. P., com	784	774	7634	774
C., M. & St. P., pfd	1204	180	199%	180
C. & N. W., com	104%	105%	104%	1064
Colorado Fuel & Iron	80	3014	80	304
Cotton Oil, com				19
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ы	L. B. & W., pfd	76	76	10.	12.
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۵	Ontario & Western	4000	4642	4016	4014
2	Omaha, com	2002	21	20(2)	30%
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	do pfd	82%	32% 115%	31%	3214
в	Sugar, com		115%	112%	1134
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3	U. S. Bubber, com	247	8717	1000	3000
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St. Louis Stocks and Bonds. Spine shares of S. E. Ba

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked
Brewery bonds	\$ 97.78	\$ 98.50
Compton Heights	100.25	108.00
Merchants' Bridge 6s	102.00	105.00
Missouri Electric 2ds	101.00	100.00
Missouri Electric 1sts		44.44
Edison bonds		75.75 75.75
Mississippi Valley Trust Co		108.00
Lindell Railway Da	3.00	
Anchor Line		88.78
Suburban stock		
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St. Joe Lead	8.78	9.50
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HE SERVED WITH THE CUBANS.

Surgeon Hines of Indiana Tells What He Saw.

YELLOW FEVER VICTIMS.

Mageo Slew His Captors and Reached the Ship on Which He Had Taken Passage.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 10.-Dr. L. A. Hines, for a short time Surgeon of the Cuban army, has just returned home and gives He joined Maceo's army early in January and was captured while in charge of the field hospital in San Filipe. He says the only way the insurgents can hope to win is by prolonging the struggle until Spain exhausted and sells the island or gives it away. The Spanis composed almost clusively of boys unused to hardship. They

yellow fever.
The prevailing notion that the Cuban armies are full of Americans, he says, is a mistake. Dr. Hines did not see or hear of another American while he was with the insurgents, as the climate is such that no American could campaign with the insurgents and live.

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The Spanish hospital at Havana now has nearly 100 yellow fever victims and the season is only begun. None will get well. Shortly after a victim contracts it he begine to curl up like a withered leaf and as soon as his head and feet touch he dies.

"The negro leader Maceo is described as a man of wonderful will power, and his army is composed of negroes who idolize him. He was in Spain when the war broke out and chartered a little vessel to take him to Cuba. The Spanish Government offered \$10,000 in gold for the delivery of Maceo into the hands of one of the men-of-war off the coast of Venezuela. The Captain of the vessel accepted, but the astute and fierce negro "caught on" and when off the coast of Cuba he killed the Captain and mate and ran the vessel ashore himself.

COMEZ IS UNDAUNTED.

The Cuban General Means to Remain in the Neighborheod of Havana.

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HAVANA, Feb. 10.—Gomez means to stay in the neighborhood of Havana. He has sent East for 5,000 soldiers, and they are marching to his aid, despite the "wall of men."

The fight at Faso Real between the forces of Maceo and Luque turns out to have been a drawn battle—or rather a sharp skirmish—in which neither side gained the victory. Gen. Luque, however, is entitled to the credit of attacking a superior force and holding his own; and it is said thab he has applied for the cross of San Fernando, which carries with it an annual pension of \$5,000.

Maceo has been establishing a Government through Pinar del Rio. When he reaches a town he also convenes the City Council and directs them to appoint a new police force, with new officers, or he confirms the incumbents under the new flag. He did this at San Juan, Guane, Mantura, Baja and many other places. He has been received with great enthusiasm, and a new column of 13,000 men has been formed. Cubans are enjoying the story of how Col Varona, the dashing rebel, fooled Gen. Luque's forces at San Juan Y Martinez. Varona was at breakfast in a house, when Luque's forces at San Juan Y Martinez. Varona was at breakfast in a house, when Luque's forces at San Juan Y Martinez. Varona was at breakfast in a house, when Luque's forces at San Juan Y Martinez. Varona was at breakfast in a house, when Luque's forces at San Juan Y Martinez. Varona was at breakfast in a house, when Luque's forces at San Juan Y Martinez. Varona turned and yelled to the flecing population:

"Don't run; it's the Spanish troops, not be intered and the house, and mounted his horse, which shows the gavantage of absence of uniform and presence of mind. safe."
Naturally, the Spaniards took Varona for a townsman, and swept by in pursuit of his small guard. Then Varona slipped behind the house, and mounted his horse, which shows the advantage of absence of uniform and presence of mind.

FOR BLEEDING CUBA

Appeal by President Betancourt of the Provisional Government.

Press to-day publishes an appeal to the rays in the treatment of cases of broker American people signed by President Betancourt of the Provisional Government of Cuba, craving recognition for the insurgents. Says the appeal:
"All we wish now is to be looked upon
by the Government of the United States
as men and soldiers battling for their birthright. We do not wish to appear in the
eyes of the world as bandits."

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After rehearsing in detail the history of the United States' struggle for freedom, the appeal continues: "We ask the American people to grant us, through their President and Congress, those rights of belligerency to which, according to the laws of war of nations, we are entitled. Our armies have marched whither they might throughout the entire island and for weeks have threatened the stronghold of Spain's power in Cuba.

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"Must we capture Havana and drive Spain's hirelings across the sea before we are even given the right as men to fight for that priceless gift which God destined should be universally divided among his children? Must we gain our independence before we are accorded the sanction of the world to labor for it?

"Is Spain entitled to consideration at the hands of a modern divilized and highly progressive nation? Does her misrule of Cuba for a century commend her to the hearts and minds of men? Are her hirelings here to lift up and educate the Cuban and make his beloved island prosperous?

"Cuba, the bleeding, appeals to her American sisters. She does it in the name of God, of justice, of civilization and of America."

Dr. Castillo Stowed Away.

KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 30.—The captain of the pilot boat Nonparell was signaled by a three-masted schooner whose skipper informed him that Dr. Castillo, surgeongeneral of the Cuban Army, was on board as a stowaway, having left the camp of Gomez for the United States on a secret mission of importance.

Broke Both His Legs.

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Fred Viesselmann, a teamster, in attempting to turn out of the car tracks at Jeffering ran over him. His left thigh was rown and the brick wagon he was driver nu over him. His left thigh was ken in three places, and both bones of right leg were broken below the knee. He was taken to the City Hospital. Viesselmann is 32 years old, lives at 3039 Caroline street and is unmarried.

Every Day

be taken by 90 per cent of all the people at this time to prevent that run down condi-

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CALL FOR A CRUSADE.

The Plea of Episcopal Bishops For the Christians of Armenia.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Sixty-two bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this country, who, a week ago, petitioned President Cleveland to take some forceful action that would lead to a cessation of the massacre of Christians in Armenia, have sent petitions to the Archbishop of Canterbury, head of the Anglican Church and through the various ministers of foreign affairs to the Czar, the President of France and the Emperors of Germany and Austria.

In their letter to the Archbishop of Canterbury, the bishops declare that a crusade supported by Christians the world over would be truly warranted, and plead that the great Church of England, through its opiscopate, shall take decisive action.

To the great powers they pray that in the name of Christ they come to the aid of the persecuted brethren, who are suffering from persecuted brethren, who are suffering from persecution worse than the Roman Emparor ever perpetrated; worse than the martyrs of the early church endured.

"Our differences of doctrine, they say are as nothing in the presence of a crisis like this. All who profess and call themselves Christians must place the rescue of hundreds of thousands of our fellow-Christians from death, or what is worse than death, above all questions of mere material and personal advantage. It is not a question of policy, but of Christianity and even of common humanity. For Christ's sake, save our brothers from death and rescue a Christian community from extinction."

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BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Nearly all the Protestant churches of Buffalo, with several of the Jewish congregations united in twenty-five places of worship last night in simultaneous meetings to protest against the Armenian outrages. A uniform resolution was adopted at the several meetings, calling on Congress and the executive branch of the United States Government to take such immediate action as will restrain the Turkish Government and subjects from further murder and outrages in Armenia, and demanding that commissioners from this Government be at once dispatched to Turkey to see that our demands are completed with. Copies of the resolution will be sent to each Senator and Representative in Congress for this State to be by them presented to the President and introduced in both houses of Congress.

A large contribution for relief work in the stricken provinces was taken up at the meetings. tensely from the terrible tropic heat and

N. Y. HARBOR'S GIBRALTAR.

Progress of the \$100,000,000 Plan Fer Fortifying Fort Wadsworth.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—United States army officials stationed in this city have long had in course of preparation plans and specifications for the building of fortifications at Fort Wadsworth, Staten Island, supposed to protect New York in

ROENTGEN RAYS PHOTOS. New York Presbyterian Hospital Will Take Them.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—To the surgeons of the Presbyterian Hospital will fall the honor of being the first medical men in the city to use Prof. Roentgen's cathode rays in the treatment of cases of broken bones and lost bullets. For several years Dr. George W. Stevens, an enthusiastic member of the Camera Club, has been engaged by the hospital to make photographs of difficult and interesting surgical cases that the hospital physicians desired to preserve. Saturday the physicians called upon Dr. Stevens to make an investigation of the use of the new light and report as soon as possible the benefits to be derived and the cost of equipping the hospital with a plant necessary for the work. It is proposed to supply a plant of such practical value that it can be used to locate fractures of bones and bullets or any other foreign substance that may be in the body. Prof. Michael I. Pupin of Columbia College, who has been making a number of experiments with cathode rays, said yesterday: "Unless we are able to get a stronger light from the Crookes tubes that we are now using. I do not see how we shall improve much. Nobody but Roentgen has been able to satisfactorily photograph a hand so that nothing but the bones showed. In the photographs obtained by myself and others here, we show the fisch of the hand almost as plainly as we show the skeleton. In Roentgen's productions no fiesh showed at all, and that leads me to believe that he has not told all he knows. I think perhaps ha is holding back until he is able to secure certain patents. He may have discovered something that is of great practical value.

"The ozone in the atmosphere about the

covered something that is of great practical value.

"The ozone in the atmosphere about the machine where photographs by the new processes are being taken is very great. It keeps one fresh and exhilarated. An assistant working under my directions was up all day, all night, and all the next day, and at 11 o'clock at night was still fresh, and did not look as though he needed sleep. In the room where the process is going on it smells as sweet as it does just after a thunderstorm, and the air is purified."

MARRIED BY PROXY. Antonio Concho of Italy, Aged 37, and His Bride, Aged 13.

special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—There was a happy re-union at Ellis Island when Antonio Con cho, aged 37 years, and his bride, aged 13, met there, Concho left Italy three years ago. Prior to his departure he fell in love with Maria Barbetta. They were engaged, with Maria Barbetta. They were engaged, but the parents of the girl objected. Concho came to New York, but did not forget his sweetheart, and three months ago, learning that she was still true to him suggested that they be married. Her parents objected to her coming to this city until the ceremony had been performed, and Concho suggested that they be married by proxy. The ceremony was performed at Naples, the brother of Concho acting in his place. Maria arrived here on Friday. Antonio went to Ellis Island to meet her. When the Emigration Officers learned of the difference in the ages of the contracting parties. Dr. Senner said the ceremony would have to be repeated in this city. So at the City Hall on Friday an Alderman declared the couple to be man and wife.

Valentines. Valentines.

CHICAGO. Ill., Feb. 10.—Mr. A. M. Butler of Fresno, Cal., proprietor of the Fresno Exporter and a prominent dried fruit shipper of the San Josquin Valley, is stopping at the Auditorium. In an interview to-day with an Associated Press representative he said: "Never before have the markets here been so well cleaned of California fruits. The stores are almost empty. Prices on raisins are advancing rapidly, on California prunes good prices are maintained and, as the stock on the coast is about all shipped, prices must advance. Last year at this time California was carrying about 775 carloads. This year her entire stock does not amount to 100 carloads." "What is the reason for this shortage?" "Well. about 175 carloads have been shipped to England, Germany and France. I find that this condition of things is not generally appreciated by the trade in the East. In the trade, however, they are beginning to take hold of prunes as though they expected a shortage in the supply very soon. CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 10.-Mr. A. M. Butler

Both Box Offices Will Be Open and Every Effort Made Not to Delay the

Hon. Alf Taylor were last here there was Hon. Aif Taylor were last here there was such a crowd at the door that a good many ladies who were in line to secure seats that night at the door were worn out with waiting and had to go away. To-night both box offices at Exposition Music Hall will be open, and more if necessary, and there will be no detention in securing seats. One of the finest audiences ever seen in St. Louis will probably be there.

MISSOURI Y. M. C. A. The Nineteenth Annual Convention

Ends at Fayette. FAYETTE, Mo., Feb. 10.-The nineteenth nual convention of the Missouri Y. M. C.

annual convention of the Missouri Y. M. C. A. has come to a close. Members of the State Executive Committee were elected as follows:

St. Louis—T. S. McPheeters, George S. Coxhead, E. P. V. Ritter, Selden P. Spencer, Henry Welbusch, Henry F. Williams, Kansas City—S. J. Ford, H. M. Beardsley, D. B. Kirk, Ed E. Yates. St. Joseph—R. D. Duncan, H. J. Campbell, B. Y. Young. Sedalia—John R. Montgomery, Jr. Hannibal—P. D. Fisher. Lexington—J. R. Morehead Columbia—Dr. R. H. Jesse, Li. D. Fayette—Rev. J. D. Hammond, D. D. Marshall—Rev. W. H. Black, D. D. Fulton—Rev. E. C. Gordon, D. D. Springfield—I. H. Banks, W. T. Hisbee. Brookfield—E. J. Davis. Joplin—A. B. McConnell.

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HE PANTS FOR REVENGE. Tailor Sacks Is Mourning Two Dozen

Purloined Coats.
What's in a name? That's what John Council, alias Burke That's what John Council, alias Burke, and Edward Callahan, alias Maher, would like to know.

Last Saturday night they broke into the second-hand store at 917 Biddle street kept by L. Sacks and stole twenty-six coats. They did not get any trousers, but Mr. Sacks will bring suit against them for burglary and larceny. The men were arrested Sunday morning while they were trying to dispose of the stolen goods. Council is 22 years old and Callahan 18.

Frisco Line Excursions. On February 11th and March 10th, 1896, seeker's Excursion tickets to points in Mis souri (Springfield and beyond), Arkansas Kansas (east of and including Oswego), Ip dian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Ariszona. For particulars call upon or address Ticket Agent, No. 101 North Broadway, or Union Station, St. Louis, Mo.

DEATH LIST COMPLETE. Only Six Persons Lost in the Bristol

Bridge Disaster. BRISTOL, Conn., Feb. 10.—Medical Examiner Hull announces to-day that all of the men who were on the bridge at the time of the disaster Thursday night have been accounted for, and that the complete death list contains six names. So far five bodies have been recovered. The one missing is Patrick McCarthy of New Britain.

To Denver and Cripple Creek Take the "Burlington Route's" daily ve Take the Burington Routes and paid the Burington Station \$:45 p. m. Through Seepers and chair cars to Colorado. Dining car for every meal. Ticket Office, S. W. Cor. Broadway and Olive st.

C. M. BROWN PAILS. Assignment of a General Merchant at Trowbridge, Ill.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.
SHELBYVILLE, Ill., Feb. 10.—C. M.
Brown, general merchant at Trowbridge,
has made an assignment for the benefit
of creditors. Liabilities, \$1,700; assets, \$5,000.

Owl Car Time Table. Largest assortments. Latest novelties. Sect now and get the cibicest. Prices, Sc to time-table of the owi cars on every street our line in the city; in convenient form for the yest pocket.

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tered that critical periods of full of happy possibilities, yet so hedged about with the physical sufferings and dangers peculiar to her sex.

It has been often said that to be a woman is to suffer. Too often this, is true. A woman's whole nature is so bound up in the pecial functions of her womanhood that any disturbance of this sensitive organism throws the whole system out of harmony. A woman cannot be entirely womanly—she cannot be a perfect woman if she is not in perfect health. In just so much as her sickness affects the organs that make her a woman, in just so much she loses her attractiveness. This is the vital part of her health. If anything is wrong there it may result in all manner of tills all over the body. The symptoms are many and varied—so much so that when a woman is sick in any way the first thought should be given to the organs distinctly feminine. Our specialist on feminine troubles should be consulted at once. Not even the most modest and retiring of women can take exception to his mode of treatment, which gives new life and richness to the blood and restores shattered nerves.

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TO SEE BY ELECTRICITY.

Thos. A. Edison Outlines Seme Possibilities of the Roentgen Rays.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.-Thos. A. Edison, in ilscussing his experiments with the Roent gen discovery, said:

sac City—S. J. Ford, H. M. Beardsley, D. S. Kirk, G. E. Yates, St. Joseph—R. D. Duncan, H. J. Campbell, B. Y. Young, Sedalla-John R. Montgomery, Jr. Hannibal—P. D. Fisher. Lexington—J. R. Morebaed. Columbia—D. R. H. Jesse, Ll. D. Fayetta—Rev. H. H. Black, D. D. Fulton—Rev. E. C. Gordon, D. D. Springfield—J. H. Banks, W. T. Highe, B. Gronkfield—E. J. Davis. Joplin—A. B. McConnell.

Home and Farm Inquiry.

Mr. Bronson C. Keeler, statistician of the Post-Dispatch Almanac for 1896, has compiled an interesting tabulated statement of the home and farm inquiry of the last census. Mr. Keeler was employed by the Government to compile the statistics of that particular part of the census. His familiarity with the subject has enabled him to prepare some very interesting matter. Price 2 cents.

STRUCK THE LADIES' COACH.

Several Persons Injured in a Collision at a Hannibal Crossing.

HANNIBAL, Mo., Feb. 10.—An east-bound Wabash stock train struck the ladies' coach of a south-bound St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern passenger train at the crossing of the roads near the tunnel here about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The coach rouled down an embankment toward the river and turned over are:

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Miss Whitney was taken to St. John's Hospital, St. Louis, last night.

The passenger train as 50 minutes late. The CRESCENT HOTEL, Eureka Springs, Ark.,

OPEN FEB. 20, 1896.

Gold for Buenos Ayres. NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Messrs. Ladenburg, fhalman & Co. will ship \$500,000 in gold to Suenos Ayres by Wednesday's steamer.

TELL-TALE FACES.

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Mrs. H. Wampler, of Barabo, Wia, whose letter we were permitted to publish last year, writes that she hopes Mrs.

Pinkham will continue Pinkham will continue to use her name, as the publication in newspapers of the account of her own wonderful cure and relief from years of misery has been the means of influencing many suffering women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as well like herself. Mrs. Wam and rightly, too, that in this y doing a great good.

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A POOR SHOWING

No Records Broken by Beston Association Athletes.

BOSTON, Feb.10.-The seventh annual in tion was held in Mechanics' Hall Saturday. No records were broken, and the failure of Bernard Wefers to appear and also the

champion mile runner, was somewhat of a disappointment.
C. H. Kilpatrick, who holds the world's championship for 600 yards, was likewise defeated, as was also Stephen J. Chase, the world's champion in the forty-five yard hurdle. The feature of the event was the team races, Princeton defekting Yale and Harvard, the University of Pennsylvania team. W. B. Curtis, N. Y. A. C., was the referee.

DRAY FOR A HEARSE. Request of Gambler Cummings Prior

to His Suicide. Cummings, aged 23, a gambler, widely known in Missouri, Kansas and Texas, committee suicide in his room at the Huntington Hotel in this city last evening by taking morphine. He first attempted to hang himself by sus-pending a wunk rope from the bedstead, but felled.

He first attempted to hang himself by suspending a trunk rope from the bedstead, but falled.

He is a son of Judge J. R. Cummings, department comander of the G. A. R. of Oklahoma Territory, and the Probate Judge of Kingfisher County.

He was known as one of the most daring gamblers of the three States.

In a farewell letter he asked to be buried here in a pine box, in a cheap lot, and that his body be hauled out in a dray. He requested that his parents be given his money and that they be not notified of his death until after the interment.

TRAGEDIES AT FREDERICK One Man Shot Dead and Another Fatally Stabbed.

FREDERICK, Ill., Feb. 10.-Thomas Moore was shot and killed by Fred Johnson here about midnight Saturday. James Rittenhouse and Johnson quarreled about a poker debt which Rittenhouse claimed Johnson owed him.

Johnson said he would shoot if Rittenhouse repeated a certain epithet. Rittenhouse repeated it and dodged behind Moore when Johnson drew a revolver. Moore received the ball in the back of the head. Johnson was held. He has served a term for stabbing a man.

Marcus Spillers struck Arthur Randall with a weight Saturday and Randall stabbed Spillers twice. Spillers is not expected to live. Randall was arrested and Charles Smith, who was with him, was put under bond as a witness. Moore was shot and killed by Fred Joi

FARMER'S SKULL CRUSHED. His Son Fatally Stabbed and Their

Assailants May Be Lynched. cial to The Post-Dispatch. ATCHISON, Kan., Feb. 10.-George and ATCHISON, Kan., Feb. 10.—George and Charles May, llving near Russhville, Mo, yesterday assaulted W. I. Burdette and his son, William, well-known farmers. W. I Burdette's skull was crushed and he ded Will Burdette was stabbed in the lungs and will die. Charles and George May are under arrest, Feeling against them is bitter and there is talk of lynching.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for ren teething gives quiet, belpful rest.

Young Turks in Revolt.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 10.—Renewed activity has been noticed among the young Turks party, and the police in consequence are taking stringent measures to prevent disorder. Several leaders of this party were arrested on Saturday, including Mahmud Bey, son of Mukhtar Pasha, the Ottoman Commissioner. Many of the young Turks and others are dissatisfied with the agreement recently arrived at between Turkey and Russia.

For a pure, sweet cigarette try the latest Sweet Moments. None better.

Imports of Egyptian Sugar. Imports of Egyptian Sugar.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 10.—About 12,300 tons of sugar are now affoat on the way to this port from Alexandria, Egypt. These cargoes are on board British tramp steamers and are due here about March I. The importation in large quantities of Egyptian sugarisa new thing made necessary through the apprehension that the Cuban crops, by reason of the war, will be very poor. yery poor.

In addition to this large quantity,
erable sugar is being shipped from
burg in British steamers and from Hi
in American clipper ships.

Mrs. Carroll a Catholic. NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Royal Phelps Carroll has been received into the Catholic faith. As Miss Marion Langdon she was a famous beauty. Mr. Carroll is a descend-ant of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, and a member of one of the oldsst Catholic fam-illes in this country. One of his ancestors was the first Catholic Archbishop of Balti-more.

February lith the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway will sell tickets at very low rates. For further information call at its North Broadway or at ticket office, Urion

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ST. LOUIS.

FRIED CHICKEN POISONED.

By Chance a Dog Ate It and Human

Lives Were Spared. pecial to The Post-Dispatch.

ARCOLA, Ill., Feb. 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lett had a narrow escape from being poisoned last evening. They went to a eighboring town yesterday to spend the day, but before their departure Mrs. Lett cooked the hired man's dinner and placed it on a shelf in the pantry. A plate of fried chicken was among the several arti-

fried chicken was among the several articles cooked.

The hired man did not eat much of the chicken and when Mr. and Mrs. Lett returned home in the evening the latter set about to prepare a lunch. The house dog was whining for food and was tossed a piece of the chicken. He died in great agony in a few minutes.

This aroused the suspicion of Mrs. Lett and she decided to investigate further by calling in the cat. The cat died in ten minutes after eating the chicken.

It is thought that some one entered the house after the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Lett and put polson on the victuals with the intention of killing the couple. No arrests have been made, but suspected parties are being watched and arrests may be made at any time.

Sedalia Residences Burned.

UHL FOR AMBASSADOR.

It Seems Certain That His Name Will Be Sent to the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 .- Unless there is a hitch in the programme, the name of Assistant Secretary of State Edwin F. Uhl, nominated to be Ambassador to Germany, ance has been received here that the appointment would be entirely satisfactory to Emperor William. Mr. Wm. Rockhill, the Emperor William. Mr. Wm. Rockhill, the Third Assistant Secretary of State, will be nominated to fill the office of the First Assistant, vacated by Mr. Uhl. It is probable that Mr. Rockhill's place will in turn be filled by a promotion of some person in the State Department. This may be either Mr. Dridler, Chief of the Diplomatic Bureau, or Mr. Edward Arenick, Chief Clerk of the department.

Valentines, new and pretty, 5c to \$5, Mer-

Missouri Corporations. ial to The Post-Dispatch Becial to The Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 10.—The
Secretary of State to-day chartered the following companies: The Columbia Preserving Company of St. Louis, capital R.50.,
Incorporators—E. J. Bergesch, A. Heisler,
T. P. McHough and others. The Real Estate Printing and Publishing Company of
St. Louis, capital 35,000. Incorporators—P.
H. Pierce, W. G. Pierce and George Walker,
The Duncan-Johnson Dry Goods and Grocery Company of Osborn, capital 35,000. The
U. S. A. Mining and Smelting Company of
Kirksville, capital 436,000.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, Mo., Feb. 10.—The residences of Jennie Granville and Lou Jackson were burned this morning. A defective flue in Mrs. Granville's house caused the fire. The loss, several hundred dollars, is not covered by insurance. "Plain, but athletic. (After sketch in New York Truth.) Evidently the picture of a woman cleaning house for the first time with Pearline. She finds that what has always been the hardest kind of hard work is now comparatively easy, pleasant, quickly done—and in her joy and enthusiasm and high spirits, she kicks up her heels, Probably this is an extreme case.

Still, it may be there are numbers of women who, when they clean house first with Pearline, manifest their pleasure in the same way. You don't

hear of it, though. They simply tell you that in all their lives the work of house-cleaning has never been so light, so satisfactory, so soon over, so thoroughly well done.

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Send Poddlers and some a it Back and if your